

# Summer 2016 Adult Learning Programme



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Code	Course Title	Venue	Start date	Day	Start time	End time	Length	Fee	Concessions
<b>Business Skills and Computing</b>									
Q5F504XA	Confidence Building and Assertiveness <i>Improve your interactions and how you deal with challenges in work and social situations</i>	Rivers Centre	2/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F504XA	e-Bay - all you need to know about selling <i>How to set up an account and sell safely</i>	Rivers Centre	18/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5F509XA	Effective Presentations including PowerPoint <i>Create a presentation and practise skills for effective presenting</i>	Rivers Centre	28/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5D511XA	Employability course - an Introduction to Assertive Living <i>Learn how to take a proactive approach in an assertive manner</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	13:00	15:00	5 wks	0	0
Q5C501XA	Employability course - an Introduction to Bookkeeping Skills <i>An overview of ledgers, petty cash and double entry bookkeeping</i>	Rivers Centre	1/6/2016	We	12:45	15:15	5 wks	0	0
Q5E510XA	Employability course - an Introduction to ICT <i>Basic IT skills, security, letter writing for different aspects of working life</i>	Rivers Centre	15/4/2016	Fr	10:00	12:00	5 wks	0	0
Q5E509XA	Employability course - Preparing to work in an office <i>An introduction to team and communication skills required to work in an office</i>	Rivers Centre	10/6/2016	Fr	9:30	12:30	5 wks	0	0
F5F507XA	Excel Level 1 - an Introduction <i>Learn to use spreadsheets and simple formulae</i>	Rivers Centre	16/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F506XA	Excel Level 2 - Improvers <i>More features of Excel - including database functions and customising charts and graphs</i>	Rivers Centre	7/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F502XA	Excel Level 3 - Advanced <i>Advanced features including scenarios, templates and problem solving (goal seek, data validation)</i>	Rivers Centre	18/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F501XA	Excel Level 3 - Formulae and Functions <i>Statistical functions such as logical and lookup, setting up formulae to aid data capture</i>	Rivers Centre	21/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F503XA	Excel Level 3 - Macros <i>Automate your tasks by recording and running macros</i>	Rivers Centre	9/7/2016	Sat	13:00	16:00	1 day	21	18
F5F500XA	Excel Level 3 - Pivot Tables and charts <i>Summarise and analyse large amounts of data</i>	Rivers Centre	9/7/2016	Sat	9:30	12:30	1 day	21	18
F5F508XA	Home Networks - 'How To' workshop <i>Includes wifi/network security, parental controls, streaming to your TV</i>	Rivers Centre	14/5/2016	Sat	10:00	13:00	1 day	21	18
F5F512XA	How to do absolutely everything on your smartphone <i>Learn to use Apps, diary, take and share photos, make notes, edit documents and back up</i>	Rivers Centre	16/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5B514XA	Introduction to Computers - Over 65s <i>Simple, easy and at your own pace</i>	Rivers Centre	19/4/2016	Tu	13:00	15:00	5 wks	0	0
Q5F508XA	Minute Taking Skills <i>Learn how to take and present minutes effectively</i>	Rivers Centre	25/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5F506XA	Positive Thinking - Attain your Goals <i>Understand limiting beliefs and develop strategies and plans to make positive changes at work and in your life</i>	Rivers Centre	23/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F509XA	Programming - an Introduction <i>An introduction to computer programming language and processes</i>	Rivers Centre	25/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5C500XC	Sage Computerised Accounts - Level 2 - Fast Track <i>Build on Level 1 and process more complex transactions using Sage Line 50 software</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	9:30	14:30	8 wks	210	166
Q5F507XA	Speaking with Confidence <i>Learn to speak with confidence in presentations, at public events and meetings</i>	Rivers Centre	28/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5C503XA	Starting Up a Small Business - Tax and financial affairs <i>Business plans, financials, HMRC requirements</i>	Rivers Centre	16/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5F502XA	Starting Up a Small Business - What you need to know <i>Consider the viability of your new business idea and find out what help is available</i>	Rivers Centre	7/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
Q5F505XA	Stress Management <i>Identify what makes you stressed and find coping strategies to manage your stress</i>	Rivers Centre	16/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5F505XA	Word - Improvers - take your skills up a level <i>Increase speed and efficiency in document production by learning Word's shortcuts and special features</i>	Rivers Centre	23/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
F5B510XA	Wordpress - an Introduction <i>Create a Family History blog using the free software WordPress</i>	Rivers Centre	12/4/2016	Tu	13:00	15:00	5 wks	70	56
F5B511XA	Wordpress - build your own website <i>Design and build your own website using free software</i>	Rivers Centre	7/6/2016	Tu	13:00	15:00	5 wks	70	56
<b>Health and Creative Skills for Work and Leisure</b>									
A5B510XA	Reflexology <i>A safe, natural therapy that can revitalise you</i>	Rivers Centre	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	5 wks	57	46
A5F500XP	Emergency First Aid at Work <i>You will receive a certificate and manual upon successful completion</i>	Rivers Centre	21/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	48	38
G5A500CA	Cake Decorating - Improvers <i>Next step for learners who have enjoyed our Royal Icing or Sugar Paste courses</i>	Stantonbury	25/4/2016	Mo	19:00	21:00	8 wks	90	71
G5E508XA	Food Safety - Level 2 - CIEH <i>Standard for anyone handling higher-risk foodstuffs on stalls, or in cafés</i>	Rivers Centre	13/5/2016	Fr	9:30	17:00	1 day	68	54
G5F511XA	Indian Head Massage <i>Massage techniques for face, head, neck and shoulders</i>	Rivers Centre	21/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
G5F517XA	Cake Decorating - Sugar Paste Modelling <i>Relax and develop your sugar craft modelling skills with flowers, figures and animals</i>	Rivers Centre	28/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
C5F505XA	Floral Design - Bridal Flowers <i>Create floral arrangements, bouquets and buttonholes for that special day</i>	Rivers Centre	14/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
C5F506XA	Floral Design - Summer table arrangements <i>Create floral arrangements for tea parties, special events</i>	Rivers Centre	11/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
G5F507XA	Cake Decorating - Cup Cakes <i>Impress with hand-decorated cupcakes, fee includes icing and decorations</i>	Rivers Centre	14/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	48*	40*
H5B500XP	Yoga - Beginners & Improvers <i>Explore the physical, mental and spiritual benefits of this ancient practice</i>	Rivers Centre	12/4/2016	Tu	19:00	20:00	10 wks	57	57
H5D501XP	Pilates - Beginners & Improvers <i>Explore flexibility, strength and balance</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	10:00	11:00	10 wks	57	57
G5A503CA	Cookery - Traditional Bakes <i>Create some of the best loved traditional baking recipes</i>	Stantonbury	18/4/2016	Mo	19:00	21:00	5 wks	57	46
G5A504CA	Cookery - Jams & Chutneys <i>Create your own preserves from fruit and veg to enjoy in the colder months, or pot them up prettily and give as gifts to friends.</i>	Stantonbury	6/6/2016	Mo	19:00	21:00	4 wks	46	38
D5F502ZA	Cycle Maintenance <i>Learn how to carry out the practical basics of cycle maintenance</i>	Cycle Saviours	7/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	38
G5F509CA	Baking - Afternoon Tea <i>Learn how to make and present delicious afternoon tea treats, incudes cost of ingredients</i>	Stantonbury	7/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	50*	42*
G5D512XA	Hairdressing - an Introduction <i>Learn how to cut and style and get advice on colouring techniques, includes cost of training head</i>	Rivers Centre	21/4/2016	Th	19:00	21:00	6 wks	83	70
G5C513CA	Cookery - Beyond the Basics <i>Soups, sauces, stews and pies; vary the basics to create everyday dishes</i>	Stantonbury	20/4/2016	We	19:00	21:00	6 wks	68	54
G5C514CA	Cookery - World Flavours <i>Enjoy cooking dishes such as tagine, jerk chicken, Italian gnocchi</i>	Stantonbury	8/6/2016	We	19:00	21:00	6 wks	68	54

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**Flowers:** A man was killed in the fire in Fishermead on Sunday night and flowers have been left outside of the home by members of the community

## Man dies after chip pan fire

A MAN in his 60s was killed in a house fire on Sunday night.

About 20 firefighters were called to Fishermead at 11.09pm and rescued a woman from the fire.

Police believe the man – who died at the scene of the fire in Fishermead Boulevard – attempted to extinguish it in the kitchen.

Buckinghamshire Fire and Rescue Service has confirmed the blaze in the three-storey house was caused by overheated oil in a chip pan.

Flowers have been left outside the home and Fishermead Residents' Association has offered support to the family.

A spokesman said: "We want to give the family space at this time, but if they want any help we would like them to contact us."

An inquest into the man's death is due to open on Friday.



## Singer Sian launches first album

SEE MK LIFE

# 'We've got to face homeless problem'

BY PHILIP MCELENEY  
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**THE city's homeless problem is bigger than many would realise with thousands of people being refused help every year, a oneMK investigation has found.**

After the tragic death of Tony Porter last month, this newspaper has discovered that Milton Keynes Council is approached by 2,000 people every month – but is only able to support 200.

Milton Keynes YMCA, which helps 500 people each year, has also revealed it had to turn away more than 600 people in 2015.

Simon Green, the charity's director of operations, feels the scale of the problem the city faces is hidden from view and needs to be addressed.

He said: "I don't understand why the council doesn't say there's a huge problem. They pretend the problem isn't there and don't publicise it."

According to the council, 29 people sleep rough in the city but the YMCA

thinks the problem is much more widespread.

Mr Green said: "If you are homeless you aren't going to lie somewhere where someone with a clipboard can find you."

The charity works mainly with young, homeless people to help them with accommodation and teach them valuable employability skills.

One resident at the YMCA is 27-year-old Steven Thrussell, who has moved from one of the charity's hostel rooms to his own flat.

He said: "I was freezing in a mouldy caravan before I came here, with two bacterial infections and this was a godsend. I knew I was going to keep getting sick if I stayed there."

The charity will lose all of its council funding next year and have to become self-sufficient if it is to continue to help the city's homeless.

"I would probably have died in that caravan," Steven added.

"If there's not a place like this to go to, there will be more deaths on the street."



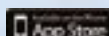
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## Driver jailed for death of a child

A LORRY driver who killed a seven-year-old boy after crashing into the back of a broken-down car was jailed for four years on Monday.

As previously reported by OneMK, Christopher Mallett, 34, of Clyde Place, Bletchley, killed Mohammed Ali Ahmed in the crash on the A4146 on March 20, 2015.

Judge Sheridan said: "I cannot understand how anybody cannot have seen that vehicle."

Found guilty of causing death by dangerous driving, Mallett was also banned from driving for three-and-a-half years and must take an extended test before he can get behind the wheel again.

## Banning orders for Dons fans

FOUR MK Dons fans have been given a nine-month football banning order after anti-social behaviour in the away end at QPR on October 24.

The club has also dealt with another fan who let off a flare against Northampton Town.

Dons have vowed to hold fans responsible for unacceptable behaviour to account after some said they wouldn't travel to away games until the problems were resolved.

■ You can read an MK Dons statement in full at [www.onemk.co.uk](http://www.onemk.co.uk)



Sundial: This piece of MK's past is currently sat under tarpaulin in Cornwall

# 'We want our sundial back'

BY CHRIS KNIGHT

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**A CAMPAIGN has been launched for the return of a sculpture after it was gifted to a museum in Cornwall.**

Commissioned in 1982, the Equatorial Sundial was one of three sculptures designed by renowned artist Wendy Taylor in the city.

But in March 2015, the sculpture – which sat outside the Vodafone office in Buckingham Road, Bletchley – was gifted to the Telegraph Museum in Porthcurno.

And Ian Michie, chairman of the Public Arts Trust in Milton Keynes, is desperate for Vodafone to 'do the right thing' and bring the sundial back.

After Mr Michie's initial complaints, the company originally agreed to organise the sculpture's return.

But Vodafone now insist it is between the Public Arts Trust and the Telegraph Museum to negotiate bringing the sundial back.

Mr Michie said: "No-one had spoken to the parish councils and they did not consult residents or Wendy herself."

"Ideally, I want the sculpture donated back to Milton Keynes and I want Vodafone to pay for everything."

Despite being gifted to them, the sundial is currently sat in storage under tarpaulin as the Telegraph Museum is unable to support and display the sculpture.

Ms Taylor herself has labelled the situation a 'complete fiasco' and says the sundial being 'in limbo' means the Porthcurno museum are also victims.

The Telegraph Museum has told OneMK it is happy to discuss the future position of the sculpture.

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# Mum's warning after fever case

BY PHILIP MCELENEY

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A MUM has warned others after her daughter got scarlet fever and the area was named as one of the worst places in the UK for the number of cases.

According to Public Health England, the East Midlands has seen the highest number of reports of scarlet fever in the season so far, with 15.1 cases per 100,000 people, with Thames Valley fourth highest with 10.7 per 100,000.

And Debbie Pearson, 50, a carer from Heelands, has seen her daughter Sydney, eight, suffering from the bacterial infection all week, after initially thinking it was just a minor viral infection.



But after realising it was in fact scarlet fever, Ms Pearson has warned other parents.

"You might just brush it off as a viral infection but it's

not," she said. "I was ill myself last week with similar symptoms but then I was better by the end of the week."

"By Sunday night Sydney was ill and I assumed she had what I'd had. But then late Monday night she was really quite poorly. She started to get a rash all over her."

"On Wednesday I put her in the bath and I said 'can I look at your tongue?' and her tongue was bright red. The rash had started to itch as well. It reminded me of a strawberry."

Sydney's temperature rose to a whopping 40 degrees and Ms Pearson was struggling to keep her temperature down.

After looking online she realised Sydney had scarlet fever.



## oneMK briefs

### **Sex offender jailed**

IAN Stokes was sentenced to 18 years and nine months imprisonment for eight sexual offences – some of which took place in Milton Keynes. The 50-year-old, of Chettle Road, Leicester, appeared at Aylesbury Crown Court last Wednesday.

### **Doctors set to strike**

JUNIOR doctors are set to strike for 48 hours starting today. MK University Hospital will contact patients if their appointments have changed.

### **MPs vote on vellum**

MPS will tomorrow vote on the future use of vellum – the material used to record acts of Parliament, which is supplied by a Newport Pagnell company. More on page 6.

### **Apprenticeship show**

THE first National Apprenticeship Show starts on Monday at Arena:MK

## We celebrate OneMK

DOZENS of people attended the official launch of OneMK on Thursday.

We celebrated the new OneMK newspaper and website – onemk.co.uk – at Electric Social in the city's Theatre District.

OneMK promises to cover 'everything Milton Keynes' 24/7 with a focus on the community.

As well as more news, sport, leisure, education and business, there will also be new features including Round and About MK (see pages 26 and 27).

Readers can also get real time information when they need it on our website, including traffic and travel, weather and TV.

We will also continue to campaign on the issues that are important to our readers, including homelessness (front page), improving our unique network of redways (page 9) and preventing the use of Legal Highs in the city (page 7).

At Thursday's event Mark Allen, a founder and director



of OneMK's Charity of the Year The Henry Allen Trust, pictured above, gave a speech, alongside mayor Keith McLean and our editor Cally Jenkins.

She said: "We'd like to thank everybody for their support and we're really excited about the role the bigger and better OneMK can play in showing why Milton Keynes is such a fun and exciting place to live and work."

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# Help us support homeless

## Send picture to win a funny prize



Email us your favourite pictures of Milton Keynes at **pictures@ismmedia.co.uk**

This week's photograph of fields in Stony Stratford was taken by Neil Jopson

HERE at OneMK we know the lovely pictures you send in put a smile on our readers' faces so we have joined forces with the award-winning Comedy Cow to keep you smiling.



Each week we will be giving two free tickets to upcoming events in one of the club's three venues across MK to the reader who sends in the best picture of our city. Winners can use their tickets to choose from a host of stars coming to Milton Keynes.

For details on The Comedy Cow's future events visit **thecomedycow.co.uk**

AT YMCA Milton Keynes we were deeply saddened to hear of the recent death on the streets of Central Milton Keynes of Tony Porter.

Tony had been well known to us and we had supported him at various times over many years.

We echo those people who knew Tony to be a gentle, kind and funny soul.

This tragic story rightly grabbed the headlines, but there is much more to the homelessness story in Milton Keynes.

There is an old saying that good news doesn't make headlines and at MK YMCA we have been quietly creating good news stories since 1981.

We support 350 plus (mainly young) people through our Central Milton Keynes accommodation each year.

Most of these people are supported into settled accommodation and we work hard to improve our service users' wellbeing and employability.

Unfortunately support for our services has reduced in recent

years and we have lost our funding as part of the Milton Keynes Council's budget cutting measures.

We, therefore, need the public and businesses in our city to take up the baton and support us if we are to continue to provide services to homeless young people.

We have created an events programme designed to raise the funds needed to continue our work.

Events include a skydive, sleep-out and 'tough-mudder' obstacle challenge – Dirty Cow.

Please help us to keep helping the most vulnerable in our city by sponsoring or taking part in a memorable event.

Details can be found at our Facebook page – YMCA Milton Keynes.

**Simon Green**  
Director of Operations

## Set a caring example

I AM writing in the hope that others will be encouraged to write in objecting to the imprisonment

of Marcus Etienne. I know of him, having been approached by him, begging.

He is neither bad mannered nor abusive. However, he does have some problems, which need addressing and imprisonment is not the answer for him.

If you know of him please write your (compassionate) views. If there are enough of us perhaps he will receive the help he needs.

I am also writing to congratulate the handbag angel who returned it with all of its contents to its owner.

Also the kind-hearted shoppers who gave £20 to the distressed mum and daughter in Asda.

These are the kind of stories that are more likely to promote the kind of caring that we should have towards one another.

Kindness encourages kindness, whereas violence encourages more violence.

Let's together make Milton Keynes the happiest, most caring community and thus become an example to the rest of the country.

**Gwen Harris**  
Cantle Avenue, Downs Barn

#### TELL US YOUR VIEWS

DO YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE with the stories in the paper or have you a view on an MK subject you want heard? Letters must arrive by noon on Monday, include your full name and address and should be kept short, to the point and may be edited.

#### comment

**Mark Lancaster**

His column written exclusively for OneMK



**TOMORROW** MPs will vote on whether to continue to print Acts of Parliament on vellum, a question of both national and local importance.

I for one will be in support of preserving a practice that provides a gateway to our rich history.

Firstly, I support the continued use of vellum as a lover of traditions. Vellum has been used to create prints, documents and books for centuries.

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Secondly, I am also championing the continued use of vellum as a local MP.

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Your tributes to Dr Mulukutla Prasad from Neath Hill Health Centre and comments on bank accounts for the homeless on our Facebook page

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#### Dr Mulukutla Prasad

**Sara Stokes Cawte:** "Our family used to use this surgery when we lived in MK. Best two doctors we have ever had! We are deeply saddened to have heard of Dr Prasad's passing. We knew him for 26 years at Neath Hill. I still see Dr Rao occasionally driving around every now and then. I am very surprised that they were both at Neath Hill for so long! All the doctors at the other surgeries I have been at since have left and changed so many times. Good luck with

retirement Dr Rao! Condolences to the family of Dr Prasad, he was a great doctor."

**Sonia Stringer:** "Both were great doctors and it's a great surgery. Both will be missed. Dr Prasad had been my doctor for 28 years and was my kids' doctor as well. Wouldn't have wanted anyone else."

**Julie Glover:** "Dr Rao has been a fantastic doctor to me and family, I have been with them since I was 15 and I'm now nearly 50. I felt heartbroken about Dr Rao retiring. I

really hope the new doctors will be as good."

**Bev Chesters:** "Dr Prasad was my doctor – lovely man. Both kids were comfortable going to see him too. He was friendly and listened."

**Sean Porter:** "Sad news that he passed away. Won't forget him."

**Maasai Knight:** "RIP Dr Prasad. What a lovely doctor he was."

**Katie Elmer:** "Been at Neath Hill and also had Dr Rao as my doctor for over 25 years. He will be missed! My thoughts go to Dr Prasad's family, he

was a lovely gentleman whenever I had to see him in the practice."

#### Bank accounts

**Tim Jones:** About time! Glad someone has finally tried to make it easier for homeless people to find work as there are genuinely homeless people who can and want to work.

**Richie Legend:** I feel it helps them get back on their own two feet. I hope that they take budgeting skills etc that the YMCA offers to teach them.

**Patsy Wickstead:** Giving back at least a bit of dignity, hope it spreads.

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# Ask experts about legal highs

AS PART of the campaign an information evening will be held at MK College's Silbury Campus on Thursday, March 17.

Parents are invited to the event from 6.30pm to learn more about the pressures their children may be facing, while anyone can attend to ask the experts questions about the changes to the law.

LPA Commander Supt Gez Chiariello said: "Milton Keynes LPA is fully supportive of the Not-So-Legal Highs campaign and the information evening will provide an opportunity to explain the dangers of taking NPS.

"Det Insp Ian Jarvis will be giving a presentation on information around NPS

and will also speak about the new legislation that is likely to come into effect in April."

MPs Mark Lancaster and Iain Stewart added: "This will be a very positive evening full of useful information for residents on such a vital community welfare issue. We look forward to welcoming all that will be attending."

# 'You'll become a drug dealer'

Following the launch of the Not-So-Legal Highs campaign last week, reporter Jessica Duncan met with Detective Inspector Ian Jarvis to learn about the substances that will become illegal

POLICE are warning sellers of legal highs in Milton Keynes that they will soon be illegal drug dealers.

Changes to the law expected to come into force early next month will mean sellers of New Psychoactive Substances (NPS), aka legal highs, could face up to seven years in prison.

OneMK has launched a campaign with police, the city's MPs, Milton Keynes Council and drugs advisers Compass to explain the dangers of NPS, why they are becoming illegal and where to go for help and advice.

Detective Inspector Ian Jarvis, from Milton Keynes Force CID, will be visiting areas in Milton Keynes to warn people of the changes.

He said: "Our visits will include petrol stations, tattoo parlours, corner shops, pop-up shops and festivals.

"When the law comes in it will be an offence to sell and we will be out on operations to search, seize and destroy anything being sold.

"Even if you are sharing NPS with



Seized: These are some of the legal highs confiscated by police

friends on nights out, you will be classed as a drug dealer and could face jail. "This is not a laughing matter anymore."

Take our legal highs quiz online [onemk.co.uk](http://onemk.co.uk)



# NPS is taken off the streets

SINCE 2011 police have restricted the supply of New Psychoactive Substances (NPS) and worked with Trading Standards on intelligence that drugs being sold contained illicit substances.

Officers have executed three raids on NPS sellers and seized numerous

substances, including some which are now illegal.

Between July and August 2013, police worked with the owners of MK's outdoor market to stop a trader from selling legal highs on his stall.

Officers also worked with the Agora centre in Wolverton to withdraw the tenancy of a

shop that openly sold NPS to youths. This dispersed a lot of associated anti-social behaviour.

Police received co-operation from the owners of Pink Punters in Fenny Stratford, which realised poppers were dangerous and immediately withdrew them from sale and provided advice to members.

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# Changes are afoot at Xscape

FOR over 15 years, the Xscape building has been a familiar silhouette on the Milton Keynes skyline but, with a new local management team now in place, could things be about to change?

At the beginning of 2016, Carl Meale was appointed as General Manager at Xscape Milton Keynes. Just two years previously Carl was the youngest ever GM at a Land Securities-owned property in London, and making the move back to his home town of Milton Keynes is a challenge he relishes but it comes with big responsibility.

The Xscape complex welcomes over 7 million visitors a year and is a key player in the MK tourism sector; it has a strong mix of retail, leisure and activity-based retailers to promote under one, very large and distinctive roof. With tenants as diverse as Cineworld and Snozone and housing the UK's only Super Casino outside London, unlocking the potential of the destination is seen as key to developing Xscape over the next 10 years as Milton Keynes develops around it. The complex has already seen some major investment over the past year with the addition of a state-of-the-art bowling facility and Cineworld launching the first

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Carl heads up a young team, all based in Milton Keynes, and they are focused on ensuring that Xscape remains a key player within the Milton Keynes business community and is also a strong contributor to MK's burgeoning visitor economy.

Carl comments, "I have a young family and continuing to make Xscape a focal point for families both within MK and outside the area is a big part of our overall plan for the future. We have a keen focus on the fact that we are a year-round destination with activities that the whole family can access and enjoy."

Land Securities is the biggest property owner in the UK and when they took over Xscape in 2014 their aim was to invest in the centre, which has already happened, although mainly behind

the scenes to date. But Carl says this will change soon, "The public will start to see some visual changes to the building over the next 12 months or so - we've got some really exciting plans!"

Partnership working with other key stakeholders in Central Milton Keynes is also seen as a key development for the team. "Working with partners such as centremk, intu and The Theatre District to market the Milton Keynes offer to visitors both locally and regionally will pay dividends over the coming years as MK expands and grows its population and reputation" says Carl.

More family-friendly events

and activities are planned and Carl and his team are keen for them to stay free, as they have always been. Plus, they'll be looking at developing some fun digital media concepts to engage with the public more. In 2016, Xscape will once again be working with IF: International Festival on one or two of the big showcase events they have lined up, underlining their commitment to seeing Milton Keynes thrive within the arts and culture sector.

## DID YOU KNOW TOP 5 FACTS: XScape MK

- The building is 550,000 sq. ft. or 51,096 sq. metres and spans an area the equivalent of three football pitches. It is a landmark building, standing at 44 metres in height, equivalent to nine double-decker buses stacked one on top of the other.
- The famous snow slope at Snozone is really covered in REAL snow. It's made every night by giant chillers in the roof of the venue, which is kept at a brisk -3 degrees at all times.
- It's the only large retail destination in the City which is open 364 days a year - staying open at Easter (with special live entertainment!) only closing on Christmas Day.
- The centre is now a 24-hour a day attraction, with McDonalds and The Casino MK both staying open around the clock.
- Xscape is a regular celebrity hot-spot and has even welcomed David and Victoria Beckham, who brought the whole family for a day out at Airkix.



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# Vandal creates unsafe crossing



BY CHRIS KNIGHT  
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A FENCE along the central reservation of Tongwell Street has been deliberately vandalised in order to allow people to dangerously cross the high-speed road.

Milton Keynes Council has installed safety fences on central reservations to prevent people crossing dual carriageways after a string of recent deaths on some of the city's grid roads.

But a vandal has ripped a hole in the fence in Tongwell Street to allow people to continue the dangerous practice.

A council spokesman said: "The council installs safety fences on central reservations to prevent people from crossing the city's dual carriageways for their safety and protection.

"There are always safer places to cross nearby such as underpasses or footbridges.

"Unfortunately the damage to this fencing was an act of deliberate vandalism in order to continue crossing the high speed roads, which sadly happens very often to this type of fencing and only results in lives being put at risk.

"We would urge anyone who witnesses these fences being damaged to call police on 101."

The fence in Tongwell Street was erected in response to the death of 21-year-old Victoria Rhodes, who was killed on March 3, 2014, trying to cross the dual carriageway.

In April 2015, this newspaper launched our Walk Safe campaign in partnership with the council to improve the city's redways and underpasses.

Plans include making walking routes to schools more interesting and getting younger people into the habit of using redways and underpasses for leisure.

If there is an underpass you feel needs to be made safer, email a picture to [editor@onemk.co.uk](mailto:editor@onemk.co.uk)

**Vandalism:** The council had to repair damage to the safety fence erected on the central reservation of Tongwell Street

## oneMK briefs

### Not guilty plea

SAMSON Ampadu has pleaded not guilty to threatening to kill a man with a knife in Fishermead. The 28-year-old, of no fixed abode, appeared at Aylesbury Crown Court on Monday.

### Plans for Kingston

PERMISSION has been given for the redevelopment of the Kingston Centre, which includes 88 fewer parking spaces. See [onemk.co.uk](http://onemk.co.uk)

### Business awards

THE MK Business Achievement Awards 2016 take place tomorrow at stadiummk. See the results at [onemk.co.uk](http://onemk.co.uk)

### Sewage works plans

A DECISION on whether a sewage works should be built by Willen Lake has been deferred. See [onemk.co.uk](http://onemk.co.uk)

## Picture competition

CALLING all budding photographers – are you inspired by parks in the city?

If so then The Parks Trust is looking for images that capture beautiful landscapes, wildlife or great memories.

Residents and visitors have been encouraged to enter The Parks Trust's Photography Competition to show the city's parks in all their beauty.

The competition closes at 5pm on Wednesday,

September 21.

The winners will be announced on Wednesday, October 5.

First prize gets £350 worth of photography vouchers, while the category winners get £50 worth of photography vouchers. All winners will receive The Parks Trust Photography Competition winner certificate and selected photographs will be included in its 2017 calendar.

## Appeal for LGBT adopters

AN ADOPTION agency is appealing for more lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) people to adopt in the city.

LGBT Adoption & Fostering Week started on Monday and St Francis' Children's Society (SFCS) is taking the opportunity to encourage

members of the LGBT community to consider adoption.

Alison Miller, CEO of SFCS, said: "We need people with stability, love and resourcefulness who can help a vulnerable child with whatever needs they may have."

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# CCTV is released in police appeal



BY JESSICA DUNCAN  
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**POLICE have released CCTV images following a spate of suspected burglaries.**

At about 3.30pm last Tuesday, a house was broken into in Paxton Crescent, Shenley Lodge, and jewellery and cash were taken.

The CCTV images show a blue five-door Ford Focus Titanium, with possible partial registration '14', which pulls up outside the house before a man gets out and knocks on the door.

When there is no reply, the images show three

men in the garden, two of whom had their faces covered.

Police are linking the incident to two others that took place on the same day.

The first was in Duncan Grove, Shenley Church End, at around 5.35pm and the second in Egerton Gate, Shenley Brook End, at about 5.50pm.

Detective Constable Katrina Walmsley said: "We would like to hear from anyone who was in the area at the time of these incidents and may have seen something suspicious. Please call 101."



Police appeal: Images have been released of men officers would like to speak to in connection with suspected burglaries

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# Man dies in crash

BY PHILIP MCELENEY

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**A DRIVER has died following a collision on the A509 and police are appealing for information.**

The man was driving a blue Jaguar, which was involved in a collision with a white heavy goods vehicle on the north-bound carriageway at Newport Pagnell, near Chicheley Hill, at about 8am last Wednesday.

The heavy goods vehicle was stationary in a lay-by at the time of the collision.

Fire and ambulance services, as well as police, were all in attendance. The driver of the Jaguar was pronounced dead at the scene and his next of kin have been informed.

An inquest into his death is expected to open on Friday.

The driver of the lorry, also a man, was treated at the scene for minor injuries.

The road was closed between Newport Pagnell and Olney but reopened just before 2pm.

Investigating officer, PC James Lacey, of the Roads

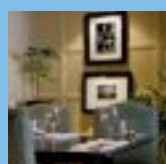
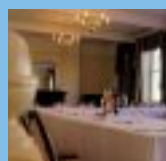
Policing Unit based in Milton Keynes, said: "I would appeal to anyone who witnessed the collision, has footage of the collision, or saw either vehicle before the collision to contact police as soon as possible.

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# Estate to get its own local centre



## Baby joy for couple

AFTER the heartbreak of losing two babies, Aimee Rigby and Stuart Amos, from Newton Longville, are celebrating the birth of Bertie.

Read more about the couple and why they are raising cash at onemk.co.uk

BY SCOTT KIRK  
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**A LOCAL centre, that could include an Asda supermarket, will be built on an estate – despite concerns over traffic.**

The approval of the plans in Newton Leys by Milton Keynes Council's development control committee on Thursday brings to an end a seven year wait for local amenities by residents.

Sports facilities, children's play areas, a primary school, nursery, care home, pub and seven retail and 34 residential units will also be built.

Newton Leys Residents' Association chairman Ethan Wilson said people living in the community had waited long enough for a centre.

"We have 48 per cent of the site occupied and I know of one resident who wants to leave because there are no facilities," he added.

"People who live in Newton Leys love living there and by having a

local centre we will end up having a stronger community."

Just four members of the committee voted in favour of the application, with three against, two abstentions and one not taking part in the vote.

However an 'informative' was added to Taylor Wimpey South Midlands' application to ensure it works with Newton Longville Parish Council to address the authority's concerns over traffic.

Chairman of the committee Andrew Geary said: "We have a policy of infrastructure before expansion and I think seven years of waiting is long enough."

Newton Longville parish councillor Ian Whipp said he was concerned about the extra traffic that would be created in the village by people using it as a rat run.

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don't spend it all, do you know where your pot will go when you're no longer here? A mistake we often notice when reviewing self-managed pensions is the failure to name a death beneficiary to inherit your pension fund. Or even worse – people have their

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## Family fun day a big success

ONEMK's Charity of the Year, The Henry Allen Trust, raised more than £1,500 at the weekend.

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As this paper reported last week, the event was also the start of the charity's Easter Egg Appeal.

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**Henry Allen Trust: Founder Dawn Allen with Sid the snake who proved popular with both children and adults at Tesco Kingston**

# GP surgeries set to face huge pressure

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**CONCERNS have been raised about the strain on GPs in the city, with one surgery set to lose its last doctor while the Western Expansion Area will go without one until 2019.**

Patients at the Neath Hill Health Centre have been reassured after one of their two GPs died, while the other is set to retire on March 31.

Milton Keynes Council has announced plans to spend £13.5million on a new surgery at Whitehouse in the western flank, but it won't be ready until 2019.

Paul Griffiths from Age UK Milton Keynes said: "This means they will have to go to Westcroft or Wolverton – do these surgeries have enough space for them?"

Mr Griffiths also said he has lost confidence in NHS England and many elderly

people are worried about access to GPs.

Dr Nicola Smith, chairman of NHS Milton Keynes Clinical Commissioning Group, said: "While these plans are in development, surrounding practices will take on new patients."

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# Station hopes it will not hit a bum note

BY JESSICA DUNCAN  
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**A GROUP of musicians and DJs are hoping to be flushed with success by turning a toilet into a radio station.**

CRMK, one of the first internet radio stations in Milton Keynes, has been given planning permission to use the toilet at the Tickford Street allotments in Newport Pagnell.

But it needs donations to help turn the toilet, which has been left idle for the last 12 years, into a fully soundproofed studio.

One of its 12 members, Paul Alexander, who is also a local councillor, said: "We need to raise between £8,000 and £10,000 to ensure the building is fully soundproofed and insulated."

"CRMK got planning permission to turn it into a studio still with one toilet inside."

"At our previous station in Crownhill and Acorn House we had listeners from all over the world, including America and Germany, and it is a really good way to promote



**Toilet radio station:** Paul Alexander, *above*, inside the toilet, *below*, said he is hoping it can be turned into a radio station

Newport Pagnell and Milton Keynes."

The radio station hopes to play a variety of music seven days a week.

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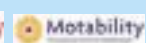
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# Support for ban on teens in restaurant

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NEARLY half of readers who took part in our poll on whether unaccompanied under 18s should be banned from eating in McDonald's have supported the idea.

But a local franchise owner has told OneMK there have only been isolated incidents of anti-social behaviour in his restaurants.

After a UK McDonald's outlet banned all under-18s from eating in the restaurant unless they were with an adult, we asked you whether you would support a similar ban.

And 49 per cent of you said you would, with 46 per cent saying they wouldn't, while the remaining five per cent weren't sure.

But Ken Tomkins, a McDonald's franchisee in Milton Keynes, said the ban – which has happened at an outlet in Stoke – must have been a 'last resort' and doesn't feel it is necessary here.

He said: "It's very sad to hear that sort of thing. That



Last resort: Franchise owner Ken Tomkins feels the ban isn't needed in MK

must be an absolute last resort.

"It's clearly a very strong statement to have to make."

Although he doesn't support a ban, Mr Tomkins has experienced some cases of anti-social behaviour in his restaurants.

He said: "We did have a case not long ago where guys were causing problems and we did effect a ban on that group."

The outlet in Meir Park, Stoke, listened to police advice and chose to enforce the ban, after eight youths were arrested and two weapons were recovered following an incident last month.

## FACEBOOK OPINIONS

**Lewis Michael Taylor:** "No because you are stereotyping all teens as being bad when not all are. It's unfair on the well-behaving young people."

**Nic Holden:** "Personally I do not believe you should discriminate because of age (or for any reason). Poor behaviour from anyone should be dealt with, end of!"

**Serel Ceyani:** "No just chuck out any person, regardless of age, who is disturbing anyone else, just like any normal business can."



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Arts company has  
a giant new home!

BY SCOTT KIRK

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**THE** organisers of Milton Keynes' popular annual Walking with Giants parade have finally found a new premises.

As previously reported by this newspaper, Festive Road was looking for a new base because the lease had ended on its previous office, which was too small to house all its giant characters.

After a long search it announced this week that it has now found a bigger home in Kiln Farm.

Director Simon Tipping said: "This is an exciting time for Festive Road as we have been unsettled for the past six months, not that it has stopped us from working in the community.

"Thank you to Milton Keynes Community Foundation for supporting and helping Festive Road find a new fantastic all round HQ.

"We are planning big things for 2016, 2017 and beyond."

The new premises will enable the outdoor arts company to design, build and



**A huge amount space:** Festive Road's Jessica Rost and Mike Boyd with one of its giant puppets at its new home in Kiln Farm

house new creations, as well as existing family members Harminder the Elephant, Jurassic Jockeys and Hilary the Triceratops, to name just a few.

In addition, it will be running a series of creative workshops, kicking off with masquerade making camps on June 11 and 18 and from June 20-24.

All the creators and builders will be able to take part in the Walking with Giants parade, taking place on June

26 in CMK. Festive Road has supported a number of local events, from the formation of a carnival on the Lakes Estate and supporting West Bletchley and Woughton Carnival and Bletchley Christmas lights switch-on, to raising funding to start a special needs group named Starlight Samba.

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Funeral: Friends and family of John McCafferty, *inset*, paid their respects to the record-holder at Crownhill



## Goodbye to a record setter

FAMILY and friends paid their respects to Britain's longest-surviving heart transplant patient at his funeral last Wednesday.

More than 100 people said goodbye to John McCafferty, 73, of Newport Pagnell, who died last month.

Memories and tributes were shared in a moving ceremony at Crownhill Crematorium.

John's time with the Ministry of Defence and Milton Keynes hospital were recalled, as well as his significant impact on the transplant community.

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# X Factor auditions will be held in city

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## RESIDENTS are being invited to audition for X Factor 2016.

On Saturday, March 19 a panel of judges will be selecting the best talent from the city during auditions at the Milton Keynes shopping centre between 10am and 6pm and at the SNO!Bar in Xscape from 7.30pm.

Former X Factor stars Alien Uncovered, who made it through to the live show and were mentored by Cheryl Fernandez-Versini, are urging people to audition.

Band member Natalie Kassanga, from Bletchley, said: "People in Milton Keynes should go to the auditions as they are just as good an experience as the live shows."

"You get a taste of the industry and the genres out there and for us they certainly pushed us and made us want to get through."

"I think we have a lot of underground talent in Milton Keynes with people who do hide but I hope they find the



**Alien Uncovered: The band, including Natalie Kassanga, second from left, performing at the judge's houses in last year's X Factor**

confidence to try." Alien Uncovered will be releasing their first album in the summer and Natalie added: "X Factor was the perfect platform for us."

"We are working hard in the studio and on increasing our fan base."

"We won't be auditioning again - I think it would backfire if we entered again."

Anyone who wants to take part in the auditions can turn up on the day with ID - there

is no need to pre-register. All under 18s must be accompanied by a parent/legal guardian and auditions are done on a first come, first serve basis.

Those who get through the first round may have the chance to perform in front of confirmed celebrity X Factor judges Cheryl, Simon Cowell and Louis Walsh.

One Direction's Liam Payne is also rumoured to be joining the panel this year.

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*left*, Chloe and  
James Garratt,  
*below*, and  
Aimee Doe the  
sweep, *bottom*

# Novel costumes

BY JESSICA DUNCAN

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**WORLD Book Day** was celebrated by schoolchildren across the city on Thursday.

And here are the three lucky winners of the OneMK and Waterstone Milton Keynes competition to find the best dressed youngsters.

Jasmine and Sonny Palmer dressed as Horrid Henry and a dragon.

Chloe and James Garratt were The Hungry Caterpillar and a ladybird. And Aimee Doe dressed up as Tom The Sweep from The Water Babies.

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## Soup funds money for local group

A SOCIAL enterprise that combines eating soup with funding local activities awarded money to a tree-planting project last week.

MK Soup – organised by the MK Food Revolution and the MK Christian Foundation – meets in Wolverton every two months to eat soup and listen to community ideas.

Everyone pays £5 each for a ticket and a bowl of soup and in return listen to four people pitch their projects. At the end of the night, the crowd votes for its favourite idea and the winner takes the profit from the event.

The most-recent meeting saw £350 go to Growing People at Urb Farm, which is going to plant more trees for its woodland.

After receiving the money, each group reports back at the next meeting – in this case on April 22, at the Christian Foundation House.

## Opening night a big success for artistic café

A SMALL hideaway arts café and bar celebrated its opening last week with an evening of entertainment that gave a taste of what is to come.

Bar Bar Blacksheep – located in The Square – opened its doors last Thursday with a Georgia Tillery, one of the directors of the new venture, said: "We wanted to create a hub for the community, a friendly place where everyone is welcome to come together, enjoy art and connect over a good cup of coffee."

"We intend to have open mic nights, comedy nights and fringe performances, as well as many more art installations."

The café is currently decorated with a large range of pieces by local artists, which also gives them the opportunity to get commissions.

The café and bar is open Monday to Wednesday from 9am to 7pm and Thursday to Saturday between 9am and 11pm.



Opening night: From left to right, directors Georgia Tillery, Ollie Lyon and Danny Quinn at the opening of arts café Bar Bar Blacksheep

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# Plans in place for new 'delicatessen for beer'

ONEMK will be bringing you the latest news from your community in our new feature – Round and About MK.

Every month we will be focusing on a specific area within the city to bring you up to date with what is going on.

The first area under the spotlight is Wolverton, with reporter PHILIP MCELENEY finding out more about what is going on in the town.

Tell us what's happening in your area by emailing [editor@onemk.co.uk](mailto:editor@onemk.co.uk)



Franzi, pictured above, said: "I'd like to be a positive addition to Wolverton's list of independent traders, but also be there for the whole of Milton Keynes."

"You can buy craft beer elsewhere, but the special thing about the shop is that you get the service with it as well."

"The investment is all coming from the community too – there are 11 local investors who all have ownership."

Franzi, originally from Germany, moved to the UK 12 years ago and thinks the micro-pub and bottle shop could bring something new to MK.

"It is the shop I feel passionate about, as well as investing in MK," she said. "I want to try to create the opportunity for people to meet in a friendly environment."

Biergarten could eventually stock 150 different beers, which will be made by local breweries

Franzi said: "There are four local breweries and we are going to stock all of them."

"We're also going to have things like bookshelves and board games, but it will be more about the shop than the cafe."

Although plans are not set yet, Franz says they are '90 per cent in place'. The micropub and bottle shop would open until 8pm Monday to Thursday and 10pm on Fridays and Saturdays.

AN ALE-LOVER is planning to turn an empty shop into a 'delicatessen for beer' and is hopeful it will open in the next couple of months.

Franzi Florack, 28, from Walnut Tree, is planning to launch Biergarten in The Triangle building in Wolverton Park Road and is planning to open the doors to the public on May Day bank holiday weekend (Monday, May 2).

Biergarten will sell a variety of craft beer in a delicatessen-style shop, with a cafe seating roughly 20 people.

## Project looking for memories to help celebrate city's 50th birthday

A NEW project aimed at helping to celebrate the city's 50th birthday wants to speak to people from Wolverton about their experiences living there.

The first meeting and workshop took place at the Scout

Hut in Furze Way on Monday, focusing on spoken word.

The project – which will see Motus Dance, Pepper's Ghost Theatre Company and The Gray Circle work together – will culminate with a celebration

performance in October 2017, involving a mix of dance, music, light and spoken word.

Organisers are hoping to ask people from Wolverton about what they like about living in the area, what they want to change

and why it is their home.

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# 'Tackling should be part of school rugby'

BY PHILIP MCELENEY  
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**BANNING tackling in school rugby matches would mean 'it wouldn't really be rugby any more', according to a coach.**

More than 70 health and medical experts have urged schools in Milton Keynes and across the UK to ban contact in rugby matches.

But a coach and headteacher from St Paul's Catholic School in Leadenhall, which prides itself on its rugby, feel if tackling is done safely and properly and pupils are given the proper coaching, then it is fine to keep it in school matches.

And according to OneMK's online poll, only 11 per cent of you said you thought rugby should be banned, with 86 per cent saying it should be kept, while three per cent weren't sure.

Chief medical officers wrote to ministers saying the risk of injury for players aged under 18 is high.

They want school matches to become non-contact and take the form of 'touch' rugby.



**Safety:** Dave Manders, left, and Paul Winter gave their opinions

## SHOULD TACKLING BE KICKED INTO TOUCH?

**Dave Manders, rugby development manager at St Paul's Catholic School:** "As a qualified Level III coach and RFU coach educator, I facilitate every after-school coaching session and PE contact rugby lesson in this school to ensure they are as safe as possible. Every child is taught the correct tackle technique and does not play in any contact games until they are competent."

**Paul Winter, assistant head teacher at St Paul's:** "Let's just say that tackling was taken out of rugby, you could still do tag rugby and touch rugby. But it wouldn't really be rugby any more. Rugby teaches the children to channel their energy and focus it in a positive way. What we do is take it very seriously at St Paul's and do it properly. I've seen thousands of kids benefit."

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# Olney burglary 'breakthrough'

BY SCOTT KIRK

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**RESIDENTS in Olney have been told police do not know if burglars may strike again, despite a 'breakthrough'.**

As reported by OneMK last week, five burglaries took place in the town overnight on February 24 to 25.

Sergeant Andy Paulden, who is in charge of 12 officers in the area, told a packed public

meeting at the Olney Centre on Thursday evening that the registration number of the vehicle believed to have been used in the burglaries had been taped over to stop CCTV cameras identifying it. The suspected burglar had also covered their face.

"We have had a breakthrough though and hopefully we can provide an update in the not-too-distant future on this," he added.

But when asked to reassure residents that more burglaries won't happen, he said: "I don't know and it would be foolish of me to say that the chances are less because I don't know how these people think."

Some residents questioned the 14-minute response time it took for officers to arrive in Olney on the night, but Sgt Paulden said officers did what they could to get there as soon as possible.



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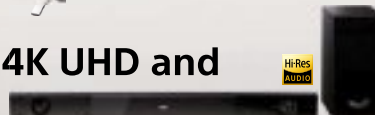
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This year the orchestra will perform under the baton of its music director and principle conductor Damian Iorio, who is currently developing the programme to include all of the favourites – but with a few twists.

Previously the annual event has attracted hundreds of music lovers of all ages.

Tickets for the event, which starts at 8pm, cost £15 for adults, £8 for children and £38 for a family of four.

Picnics are welcome but visitors are advised to take their own seating and warm clothes.

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## funnyman

**ROB Deering, who combines his stand-up routine with playing his guitar, will headline the Comedy Cow at the red dot bar at stadiummk.**

Winner of the BBC New Comedy Award 2015 Yuriko Kotani will also perform in the middle section of the show, while 18-year-old Tom Lucy will also take to the stage.

Harvey Hawkins will also perform a short spot during the show, taking place on Friday, March 18 at 8.15pm (last entry 8pm).

To book your tickets go to [www.ticketsource.co.uk](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk)



## lovestory

**OPERA Mikado starts at Stantonbury Theatre on Tuesday.**

It tells the story of Mikado's son Nanki-Poo, who leaves home and falls in love with Yum-Yum.

But Ko-Ko, the Lord High Executioner and Yum-Yum's guardian, doesn't want it to happen and loves Yum-Yum himself.

Tickets cost £16 for adults, £13 for concessions or £5 for under 16s from 01908 510452.

The show, which starts at 7.30pm runs until March 19.



**HAVE you ever sat in front of X Factor on a Saturday night and thought 'I can do better than that'?**

Well now you can. You might have seen in OneMK that it looks like X Factor producers will be holding auditions on Saturday, March 19 at the SNO!Bar in Xscape!

Good luck if you're planning to go down and don't forget us when you hit the big time.

Something to keep an ear out for next week is our big Willen Lake promotion!

Each day next week from 4pm we'll be giving you the

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Finally, how are you getting on playing Who's On Heart? It's the biggest competition on the radio and you can win

a life-changing £100,000. All you have to do is identify the three secret celebrities saying the words WHO'S ON HEART.

Remember to listen to Heart Monday to Friday between 9am and 4pm and on Saturday from 9am to 1pm to hear our three secret celebrities and to enter. And make sure you listen to all the guesses so you can check yours hasn't already been mentioned.

Tune in to Heart Breakfast with Stuart Miles and Katy Hill on Heart 103.3 FM, DAB, at [heart.co.uk](http://heart.co.uk) or via the Heart mobile app.

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**NEW Indian restaurant Maaya has teamed up with MK LIFE to offer one lucky reader a meal for six people at the chef's table.**

The popular Hub location will see the independent kitchen and bar cater for businesses with a lunchtime menu, as well as after work drinks and an evening à la carte menu.

It is the brainchild of four local entrepreneurs, led by restaurateur Mo Abdul, who is well-known locally for owning the multi-award winning Calcutta Brasserie in

Stony Stratford. Head chef Salam Abdul has more than 20 years' experience in the kitchen and is supported by a team of three.

Salam has spent more than five months creating the menu, which includes dishes inspired from regions across India, as well as generations of cooking, family secrets and a passion for delivering food excellence.

From Harra Bharra Gosht to Jhinga Shimla Mirch, Maaya offers something different to your typical Indian restaurant menu which aims to explore



guests' palates – although the chef can make a chicken tikka masala.

A key feature in the restaurant, which is employing about 20 full and part-time staff, is the first floor chef's table, which can cater for up to 14 people in complete privacy.

Overlooking the balcony and with a clear panoramic view of the kitchen, Maaya aims to offer this for party bookings and celebrations.

For your chance to win a meal at the chef's table simply answer the following question:

**Where is Maaya based?**

- A) Centre:mk  
B) The Hub  
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To enter log onto [www.onemk.co.uk/competitions](http://www.onemk.co.uk/competitions)  
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## littlelaughs

**THE Comedy Club 4 Kids will be at Stantonbury Theatre on Saturday.**

It will feature some outstanding stand-up comedy and sketch acts for children.

Stars from the international circuit will be bringing laughs to the audience – minus all the rude bits – in a 60-minute show.

The event is family friendly, but without any patronising idiocy, and it's just like a normal comedy club except that kids are allowed in.

Tickets for the show – which starts at 2.30pm – cost £9.50 and £7.50 for concessions. They can be bought from [stantonburytheatre.co.uk](http://stantonburytheatre.co.uk)



## rocklegends

**ICONIC rock duo Chas & Dave will be looking to recreate some old magic when they come to Milton Keynes Theatre on Wednesday, March 23.**

In a career spanning 50 years, the pair arrived on the scene in the 70s and enjoyed hits with Gertcha, Rabbit, The Sideboard Song, Margate and Ain't No Pleasing You.

Tickets are still available for the performance, which starts at 7.30pm. For more visit [www.atgtickets.com](http://www.atgtickets.com)

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Saturday	9 <sup>th</sup>	90's Night with Ultra 90's	£30.00pp
Friday	15 <sup>th</sup>	80's Night with 80's Re-Invented	£25.00pp
Friday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Take This-Take That Tribute	£25.00pp
Saturday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	DecaDance- Music Through the decades	£30.00pp
Friday	29 <sup>th</sup>	The Mix Party Band	£25.00pp
Saturday	30 <sup>th</sup>	Dirty Dancing Tribute	£30.00pp

## May

Friday	6 <sup>th</sup>	Mixed up 80's	£25.00pp
Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup>	Abba Arrival	£30.00pp
Friday	13 <sup>th</sup>	The Catch-60's to present day	£25.00pp
Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup>	Boogie Wonderband	£30.00pp
Friday	20 <sup>th</sup>	Soul Selecta	£25.00pp
Saturday	21 <sup>st</sup>	The Jets	£30.00pp
Friday	27 <sup>th</sup>	George Benson Tribute	£25.00pp
Saturday	28 <sup>th</sup>	DecaDance - Music through the decades	£30.00pp



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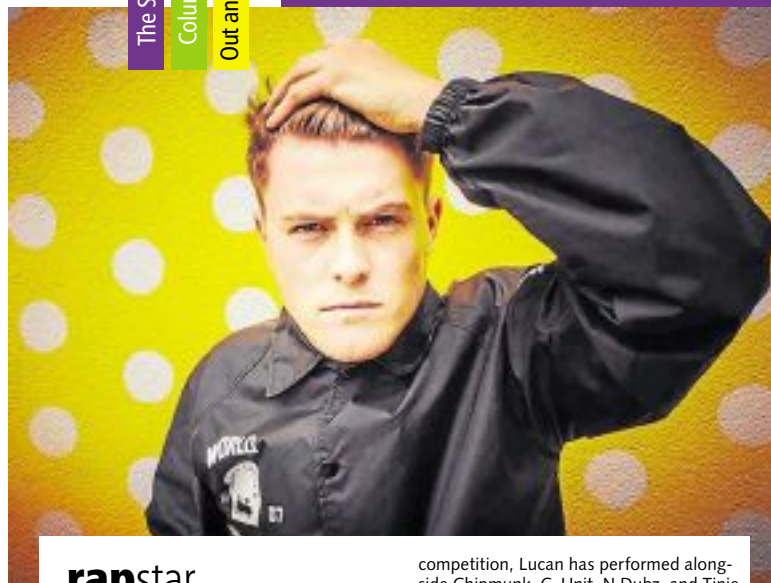
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**rapstar**

**RAPPER Lucan Mills will be hoping to wow the crowds at The Stables on Saturday.**  
After winning the UK Channel U

competition, Lucan has performed alongside Chipmunk, G-Unit, N Dubz, and Tinie Tempah and freestyled on stage with Ed Sheeran.

Beginning at 8.45pm, tickets cost £10 in advance, or £12 on the door. More at [www.stables.org](http://www.stables.org) or call 01908 280800.

**MK LIFE'S pet expert Dr Amy Converse, from Vets4Pets in Bletchley, tells readers why rabbits are not just for Easter...**

**EASTER is quickly approaching and many people consider buying a rabbit at this time of year as a present.**

It is important to remember that animals are living, breathing creatures that need care for their whole lives and rabbits are no different.

Having a rabbit as a pet should be a carefully considered decision and should not be taken lightly, which is why getting a rabbit as a gift is not always advisable.

Having a rabbit is a seven to 10-year commitment. They are delicate creatures that have complex dietary needs and housing requirements.

Many rabbits end up in shelters when the newness wears off and they can often become neglected if the decision to get one is not taken carefully.

Many times rabbits are bought for children.

Having pets and interacting with animals is excellent for children, but it is also important to remember that rabbits are not toys and typically do not like being



picked up and cuddled, which is what many children like to do with pets.

If owning a rabbit, an adult

should be the main caretaker and care should be taken to avoid injury when rabbits are handled.

**birdwatching**

**THE Parks Trust is giving you the chance to learn the basics of bird watching this weekend, in the beautiful setting of Linford Lakes Nature Reserve.**

If you're a beginner but are interested in starting a new hobby, then you could learn the basics of bird identification.

You have to be over 16 to attend and places cost £15. The day starts at 10am and finishes at 4pm on Saturday.

Visit [theparkstrust.com](http://theparkstrust.com) to book your place.





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## traintrip

**TICKETS for The Emerald Isle Explorer with the Flying Scotsman are available in four different classes.**

The trip, which takes place from June 15-23, sets off from Milton Keynes Central.

For further information and prices for remaining tickets for trips with the Flying Scotsman, contact the Steam Dreams booking office on 01483 209888, or go to [onemk.co.uk](http://onemk.co.uk)



## morsecode

**THE British Science Week event at Bletchley Park can help youngsters build a Morse Code buzzer circuit as part of its Bleeps and Buzzers workshop.**

Session times on Saturday are from 10am to 10.45am, 11.30am to 12.15pm and 1pm to 1.45pm.

To reserve a place for the event go to [www.bletchleypark.org.uk](http://www.bletchleypark.org.uk)

Entrance is included in the price of your ticket to Bletchley Park but needs to be booked in advance.

Tickets are £17.25 for adults, £15.25 for concessions, £10.25 for children aged 12 to 17 and children under 12 go free.

## tabletennis

**MK's table tennis and ping pong star Andrew Baggaley will host a table tennis tournament alongside his brother Stephen to raise money for Sport Relief.**

The event at Stantonbury Leisure Centre takes place on Friday at 7pm for juniors and 8.30pm for adults.

It costs £3 for juniors and £5 for adults and the winners will be presented with a tournament cup.



## albumrelease

**SIAN Magill's debut album Rivers Know This will be released with a special gig at MKII Kiln Farm on Sunday.**

There will be an opportunity to buy a CD from the singer, who has been performing in the area since the age of just seven.

The Fabulators, Brother G and Sam the Poet will also perform at the gig, which starts at 7.30pm.

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## Home made from handbags

THE exclusive Fendi Baguette isn't a bakery item but an iconic bag that begat the it-bag industry.

A staple in the closet of every handbag fanatic, it'll set you back at least £1,000 and was made famous by Sex And The City's Carrie Bradshaw, who was even mugged at gunpoint for her purple sequined version.

It propelled the show and its narrator into new territory, kicking off her habit of spending more money on fashion than her home.

Still a highly coveted accessory, the bag was an instant hit in 1997 when it was launched by the Italian luxury brand which isn't afraid to court controversy. Starting life as a fur and leather shop in Rome in 1925, Fendi recently went back to its roots, sending models down the catwalk in Milan wearing fur-trimmed trainers.

The company has become a large, successful family business employing generations of



Fendis. One, Guido Formilli Fendi, a grandson of founder Adele and former director of furs, has also dabbled as a racing driver and owns this restored Tuscan farmhouse

On the market for 1.35m euro in the medieval town of Cetona, it's got two big living rooms, one of which has an old fireplace,

and a big kitchen with access to a garden which includes lemon trees, a goldfish pond and unusual stone caves. The three bedrooms are all en-suite and an outbuilding next door could be used as a guest apartment.

■ [www.grestate.it](http://www.grestate.it), +39 0578 59050

## Original It girl called this home

ARISTO socialite Tara Palmer-Tomkinson can usually be found tucked up indoors these days, having an early night. It's a far cry from her years spent on the London party scene, which culminated in a £400-a-day cocaine habit and plastic surgery to rebuild her nose.

Prince Charles' god-daughter was infamous for her wild ways; in 2014 she was arrested and handcuffed by eight armed police after flying into a rage at Heathrow Airport. She blamed a panic attack on her behaviour and on the Jeremy Kyle show that year revealed that despite ditching the drugs, she still struggled with anxiety which had turned her into a virtual recluse.

At the end of last year Palmer-Tomkinson was papped, looking gaunt in a hoody and tracksuit but has recently announced she's trying her hand at clothes designing.

The one-time face of Walkers



Crisps, TPT finished runner-up on ITV's I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here! and won Comic Relief Does Fame Academy in 2007, showing off a decent singing voice. She's also a good pianist and has a baby grand



piano in her swanky duplex apartment in Kensington.

While one of the original It girls, she once called this terraced one bedroom house in Fulham home, which is now on the market for £695,000. It's got a kitchen/reception room with spiral staircase in the corner, 16ft south facing roof terrace and resident's parking.

Near Parsons Green and Fulham Broadway, agent Strutt & Parker says that in a former life it used to be a sweet shop.

■ [www.struttandparker.com](http://www.struttandparker.com), 0203 773 3693

## Dining in style at Naked Chef's pad

YOU might enjoy trying out Jamie Oliver's recipes but how about sliding down the same spiral staircase as the young cheeky chappie in his first TV show?

The Naked Chef saw Oliver rustling something up in the kitchen of this trendy three-bedroom home where he'd dish up the nosh for friends and family.

Oliver, who's now equally famous for campaigning to introduce sugar tax and tackle childhood obesity, admitted wife Jools "didn't exist" in series one. The father-of-four, then 22, said the former model was kept away in the bedroom as TV execs wanted to suggest he was single.

Oliver moved up the property ladder in 2001 - with his new home featuring in the first episode of season three. Now the family are on the move again, after putting their townhouse on the market for £12m. Oliver knocked through two adjoining



houses to create a 10-bedroom family home in Primrose Hill, but now the chef, who is thought to be worth £180m, has bought a seven-bedroom property near Hampstead, which is being renovated.

The first pad, in Clerkenwell, is on the market for £2.75m, it's still got the spiral staircase although the kitchen has been refurbished since appearing in the 1999 cookery show.

There's a gym on the ground floor, garage, storage room, built-in study and utility room. The master bedroom is on the top floor, boasting a dressing room and en-suite bathroom.

Another double bedroom has an en-suite shower room, while the agent says a new mezzanine could be used as an extra bedroom or reception.

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## In need of baggy trousers

LEGENDARY ska band Madness memorably set their 1982 top ten hit 'Our House' in a Victorian terraced house, where Suggs and co bashed out the tune in the living room.

A few months ago, the house which took the video's starring role went on the market and was snapped up for £565,000 within days – no doubt helped by the owner's listing which was full of musical references, beginning: "Welcome to our 'House of Fun'... It's 'One Step Beyond' the norm for the area."

The house is in a photogenic tree lined cul-de-sac in North West London which has long been in demand with film directors. Stephenson Street features in *The Ipcress Files* and the Likely Lads and next month appears in Hugh Jackman's new film *Eddie The Eagle* about the British skier who, in 1988, became the first competitor to represent Great Britain in Olympic ski jumping. Michael Edwards finished last in the 70m and 90m events, but became famous for his heroic failure – he



was very long-sighted, forcing him to wear glasses that fogged up so badly that he couldn't see during jumps.

Another two-bed terraced house in the street is now for sale at £600,000. Recently decorated with a modern kitchen/diner and large open plan reception room, it overlooks

woodland where a community urban orchard and garden is planned for the spring.

Closer to home there's a little oasis in the back garden which was designed by TV presenter and Chelsea Flower Show gold medal winner Joe Swift.

■ [www.emooov.co.uk](http://www.emooov.co.uk), 0333 121 4950

## Make transfer to Sven's footy flat

FORMER England boss Sven-Goran Eriksson seems to be on a mission to encourage Premier League players to up sticks and join him in China.

Eriksson, 67, manages big-spending Shanghai SIPG and reckons Man United star Wayne Rooney and Chelsea's John Terry would love it in Asia.

Famous off the pitch for his relationships with Nancy Dell'Olio and Ulrika Jonsson, Eriksson moved to China in 2013 when he took charge of Guangzhou R&F. A year later he became boss at Shanghai and led them to a second-placed finish in the league.

Back in 2001, the Swede became the first foreign manager of the English national team but left after their World Cup exit in 2006. The well-travelled manager has worked all over the world and moved to Notts County in 2009



for a year, living in this three-bedroom apartment.

Near Nottingham Racecourse and Colwick Country Park, this ground-floor pad on the River Crescent Development has river views and is open plan with French doors from the living area onto a terrace. The kitchen is just off the living area and connected by a breakfast bar. Its en-suite master bedroom boasts

built-in wardrobes, while two more double bedrooms have river views.

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Neath Hill

£280,000



EPC D

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- Bathroom
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Crownhill

£345,000



EPC B

- Mid Terraced
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Low Maintenance Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking To The Front
- Immaculate Property
- 2% Buyers Fee Applies

Leighton Buzzard

£225,000



EPC D

- Terraced
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EPC C

- First Floor Apartment
- Lounge With Balcony
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- En-Suite To Master Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Allocated Parking
- Secure Entry

Broughton

£210,000



EPC C

- Semi Detached
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garage
- Front & Rear Gardens
- No Above Chain
- Local Amenities Nearby

Giffard Park

£235,000



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- Terraced
- Lounge/Diner
- Conservatory
- Kitchen
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- Bathroom
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- Rear Garden
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Bletchley

£229,995



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- Tenant In Situ
- Gated Complex
- Secure Entry
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- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Allocated Parking
- Communal Garden

Netherfield Offers in Excess £145,000



EPC D

- Extended Semi Detached Bungalow
- Lounge
- Conservatory
- Utility
- Kitchen/Breakfast
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Front Garden Providing Parking

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EPC D

- Semi Detached
- Kitchen/Diner
- Lounge
- Bathroom
- Four Bedrooms
- Refurbished Throughout
- Off Road Parking
- Good Size Rear Garden
- No Above Chain

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£250,000



EPC B

- First Floor Apartment
- Well Presented Throughout
- Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen With Appliances
- Balcony
- Two Double Bedrooms
- En-Suite To Master Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Allocated Parking
- No Above Chain

Oakgrove Village

£265,000



EPC C

- Mid Terrace
- Kitchen
- Lounge/Diner
- Two Bedrooms
- Balcony From Bedroom Two
- Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking For Two Vehicles
- 2% Buyers Fee Applies

Furzton Offers in Excess £175,000



EPC B

- End Of Terrace
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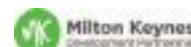
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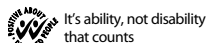
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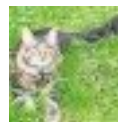
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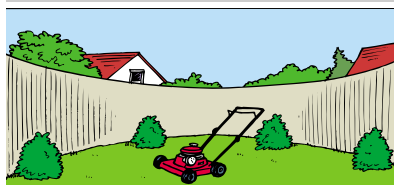
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### Licensing Notices

#### Application for a Premises License

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Full details of the application can be viewed via The Licensing Register at the Civic Offices of the Council. This is accessible Mondays to Thursday between the hours of 9am to 5pm, and Fridays 9am to 4pm (excluding bank holidays) or online at <http://www.miltonkeynes.gov.uk/environmental-health-and-trading-standards/licensing>.

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A copy of the application is also kept at the above address and may be viewed during normal office hours.

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## THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES PROPOSED CONTROLLED PEDESTRIAN CROSSING AND 40MPH SPEED RESTRICTION ALONG PARTS OF V10 BRICKHILL STREET, WALTON – MARCH 2016

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes proposes to introduce a controlled pedestrian crossing and 40mph speed restriction along parts of V10 Brickhill Street, Walton.

The Council proposes to make two Traffic Regulation Orders under Sections 82, 83 and 84 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 for the 40mph speed restriction. The controlled pedestrian crossing point will be proposed under section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (the Act).

The proposals come as a result of the need to provide a safe crossing point for pedestrians travelling between Walton and the local amenities and schools in Walnut Tree. The 40mph speed restriction will support the controlled pedestrian crossing by reducing vehicular speeds as they approach the junction.

No vehicles, except for emergency services and military vehicles on operational duties shall be permitted to exceed the 40 mph speed restriction. The type of crossing being proposed is a controlled (Toucan) crossing and will commence from a point where the southern kerbline of Walton Road meets the eastern kerbline of V10 Brickhill Street, continuing for a distance of 38 metres in a southerly direction (including both sections of white zig-zag lining). The centre point of the crossing will be at a point 24 metres south of a point where the southern kerbline of Walton Road meets the eastern kerbline of V10 Brickhill Street. The crossing will extend across the whole width of the carriageway from the eastern kerbline to the western kerbline. The proposed 40mph speed limit will start from its junction with Walton Roundabout, continuing to its junction with Walton Park Roundabout. A copy of the proposed Orders (the titles of which are recited at the end of this Notice) together with a map showing the areas referred to along with a statement of reason for proposing the Order, may be inspected during opening hours at Milton Keynes Library, 555 Silbury Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes and Kingston Library, 11 Winchester Circle, Kingston and during normal office hours at Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wood, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY.

Any objections to the above proposals, together with the grounds on which they are made, must be made in writing and sent to the Network TRO Manager, Highways Department, Public Realm Services Group, Synergy Park, Chesney Wood, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY to be received no later than 30th March 2016 quoting reference PH-S84-TRO-133.

### Title of the Proposed Order:-

- 1) The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (V10 Brickhill Street (Part), Walton) (40mph Speed Restriction) Order 2016;
- 2) The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes) (Various Roads within Milton Keynes) (Derestriction) Order 2004) Variation Order 2016.

## PROPOSED WAITING AND PARKING RESTRICTIONS IN BROUGHTON GATE AND MIDDLETON AND A 30 MPH SPEED RESTRICTION ALONG PART OF A5130 NEWPORT ROAD, BROUGHTON GATE – MARCH 2016

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes proposes to make four Traffic Regulation Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The proposed Orders, the titles of which are recited at the end of this Notice, will have the following effects within the roads and parts of roads within Broughton Gate and Middleton as stated below:-

- 1) The introduction of 'no waiting at time' restrictions along parts of Bala Lake Crescent, Eaton Hall Crescent, Lavender Hill, Poppy Avenue, Warwick Avenue, Watercress Way and Wenford, Broughton Gate; and parts of Claridge Drive and Walton Road, Middleton;
- 2) The introduction of one disabled persons' parking place on part of Bala Lake Crescent;
- 3) To extend the 30mph speed restriction on A5130 Newport Road from Salford Road to the brook south of Somerset Walk.

Exemptions from the proposed Order include emergency service vehicles, military vehicles, statutory undertakers, building, demolition and excavation, disabled persons badge holders, and some others. Copies of the proposed Orders together with maps showing the areas referred to, and a Statement of Reasons for proposing the Orders may be inspected during opening hours at Milton Keynes Library, 555 Silbury Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes, and during normal office hours at Milton Keynes Council, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes.

Any representations about or objections to the proposals, together with the grounds on which they are made, must be made in writing and sent to the Network TRO Officer, Highways Department, Public Realm Services Group, Synergy Park, Chesney Wood, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY to be received no later than 30th March 2016 quoting reference PH-S11-TRO-138.

### Titles of the Proposed Orders:-

- 1) The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (Various Roads, Broughton Gate) (Parking and Waiting Restrictions) Order 2016;
- 2) The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes) (Various Roads, Middleton) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting) Order 2011) Variation Order 2016;
- 3) The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (A5130 Newport Road, Milton Keynes) (Restricted Road) Order 2016;
- 4) The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes (A5130 Newport Road, Milton Keynes) (40 Mph Speed Restriction) Order 2016.

## (A5130 NEWPORT ROAD (PART), BROUGHTON) (TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2016

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes has on 8th March 2016 made an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, waiting or proceeding along the following length of road in order to allow construction works creating a new carriageway and improving the existing junctions:-

**14th March – 27th May 2016**

- **A5130 Newport Road, Broughton** – The section of road between its junctions with Fen Street and Wenford.
- Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Fen Street and Countess Way.

Access to Strathspay Gate & Wenford will be maintained. Signs will be erected several days in advance to warn motorists of the dates and times when the roads will be closed.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable works to be carried out on the highway. The temporary Order will come into effect on the 14th March 2016 and will expire on the 14th June 2016 and will take effect at times during the above period only when maintenance or repair works are required and only when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, which will be erected in advance of any closure.

## Public Notices

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed Order except for controlled access to residential properties and emergency service vehicles on operational duties.

The closure will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

All affected properties will be notified of the forthcoming closures at least one week prior to works taking place.

The temporary closure will be in force on the date shown when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs displayed in the affected road.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

The temporary restrictions can be viewed at [www.roadworks.org](http://www.roadworks.org).

## (PARTS OF SILBURY BOULEVARD AND NORTH EIGHTH STREET, CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES) (TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2016

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes has on 8th March 2016 made an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit pedestrians and vehicles from entering, waiting or proceeding along the following lengths of roads in Central Milton Keynes to allow maintenance and repair works to be carried out to the Civic Offices Building:-

The following lengths of road will be included in the temporary closure Order and will only be closed on **Monday 14th March 2016**:-

- **North Eighth Street, Central Milton Keynes** – Its entire length
- **Silbury Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes** (The North west vehicular accessway) – From its junction with the North east vehicular accessway on Saxon Gate to Port Cochere situated between Saxon Gate and North Eighth Street.

Whilst the above lengths of road are closed the alternative route will be via North Ninth Street and North Row.

The Order will come into effect on 14th March 2016 and will remain in effect for a period of 1 month.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable works to be carried out on the Civic Offices building safely.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed Order except for controlled for emergency service vehicles on operational duties.

The closures will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

All affected properties will be notified of the forthcoming closures at least one week prior to works taking place.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

## (ROADS AND PARTS OF ROADS IN EAGLESTONE AND KENTS HILL) (TEMPORARY CLOSURES) ORDER 2016

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes has on 8th March 2016 made an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit pedestrians and vehicles from entering, waiting or proceeding along the following lengths of road in order to allow maintenance and repair works to be carried out on the highway:-

**16th March 2016**

- **Golden Drive, Eaglestone** – From its junction with Perigrine Close to its junction with Harlans Close.

Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Golden Drive and Harrier Drive.

- **Timbold Drive, Kent Hill** – From its junction with Timbold Drive Roundabout to its junction with the access road leading to the Hilton Milton Keynes.

Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Hammerwood Gate, Brickhill Street and Grove Way.

Access to properties will be maintained.

The above closures will be implemented from the 16th March 2016 on the above dates for a maximum period of 4 hours or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. Signs will be erected several days in advance to warn motorists and pedestrians of the dates and times when the roads will be closed.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable works to be carried out on the highway. The temporary Order will come into effect on 16th March 2016 and will expire on 16th June 2016 and will take effect at times during the above period only when maintenance or repair works are required and only when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, which will be erected in advance of any closure.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed Order except for controlled access to business or residential properties and emergency service vehicles on operational duties.

All affected properties will be notified of the forthcoming closures at least one week prior to works taking place.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

## (ROADS AND PARTS OF ROADS IN CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES, NETHERFIELD AND WOLVERTON) (TEMPORARY CLOSURES) ORDER 2016

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes intends, in not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit pedestrians and vehicles from entering, waiting or proceeding along the following lengths of road in order to allow maintenance and repair works to be carried out on the highway:-

**23rd March 2016**

- **The junction of Silbury Boulevard and Elder Gate, Central Milton Keynes.**

Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Silbury Boulevard, Grafton Street, H5 Portway and Elder Gate (and vice versa).

- **Broadlands, Netherfield** – Between its junctions with Buckland Drive and Barnfield Drive.

Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Buckland Drive, Farthing Grove and Buckland Drive (and vice versa).

- **Green Lane, Wolverton** – Between its junctions with Moon Street and Stacey Avenue/Radcliffe Street.

Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Moon Street, Victoria Street and Stacey Avenue (and vice versa).

- **The rear access road of Jersey Road, Wolverton** – Between its junctions with Church Street and Aylesbury Street.

Whilst the above length of road is closed the alternative route will be via Church Street, Jersey Road and Aylesbury Street (and vice versa).

Access to all properties will be maintained throughout the closure.

The above closures will be implemented from the 23rd March 2016 on the above dates for a maximum period of 4 hours or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. Signs will be erected several days in advance to warn motorists and pedestrians of the dates and times when the roads will be closed.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable works to be carried out on the highway. The temporary Order will come into effect on 23rd March 2016 and will expire on 23rd June 2016 and will take effect at times during the above period only when maintenance or repair works are required and only when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, which will be erected in advance of any closure.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed Order except for controlled access to business or residential properties and emergency service vehicles on operational duties.

The closure will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

All affected properties will be notified of the forthcoming closures at least one week prior to works taking place.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

9th March 2016

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Service Director – Public Realm

## Milton Keynes Council

The following applications may be inspected at the Planning and Transport Department, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes. Representations, if any, to be submitted in writing to the above address within 21 days of the publication of this notice.

### SECTION 73 16/00312/FUL

**WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**  
Erection of 14 dwellings, including 4x 2 bed, 6x 3 bed, 1x 4 bed and 3x 5 bed dwellings, with parking, garaging, landscaping and access road including off site highway works to East Street at Land To The Rear of 90 East Street, Olney.

16/00354/FUL

Part two storey, part first floor side extension, single storey rear extension, rear balcony and external spiral staircase to balcony and installation of velux windows at 3 High Street, Sherington.

16/00363/TCA

Notification of intention to reduce all round by 1.5 metres back to previous pruning points to 1 x Apple tree (T1) and to complete a formative prune by removing up to 10cm of growth to 4 x Apple trees (G1) at 2A Prospect Road, Storey Stratford.

16/00381/TCA

Notification of intention to fell and grind out stump of 1x Norway Maple (T3), fell 1x Silver Birch (T4) and to fell and treat stump of 1x Ash (T5) at The View, Watling Street, Little Brickhill.

16/00417/TCA

Notification of intention to fell 1x Ash tree at Ash House, The Wharf, Great Linford.

16/00418/TCA

Notification of intention to fell 1x Horse Chestnut tree to ground level at 6 Brickhill Manor Court, Little Brickhill.

16/00439/TPO

Tree preservation order consent to fell 1x Sycamore (T2) and remove overhanging branches back to boundary line up to a height of 10 metres above ground level to 1x Horse Chestnut (T12) at The View, Watling Street, Little Brickhill.

16/00486/FUL

Prior notification for change of use of offices (use class B1) to one bedroom dwelling (use class C3) at Office 3, Clifton Court 48 High Street, Newport Pagnell.

SECTION 67 & 73  
16/00403/LBC

**LISTED BUILDING WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**  
Listed building consent for replacement windows to all elevations at 60 Church Green Road, Blechley.

SECTION 67 & 73  
16/00280/TCA

**AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA**  
Notification of intention to fell 1x Laburnum at 51 High Street, Olney.

SECTION 67  
16/00351/DISCON

**LISTED BUILDING**  
Details submitted pursuant to discharge of condition 3 (doors and windows) attached to application 15/01735/LBC at The Small House, 6 High Street, Sherington.

16/00496/DISCON

Details submitted pursuant to discharge of condition 8 (windows) attached to application 14/01410/LBC at Former The Old Green Man, Watling Street, Little Brickhill.

## TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT (AS AMENDED) TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES) ORDER 2010 NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13 MAJOR

15/03076/MKCOD3 Erection of 330 place Primary School with 26 place day nursery and associated access, car and cycle parking, play areas, sports fields and amenity space at Land West of Timbold Drive, Kents Hill Park.

16/00312/FUL

Erection of 14 dwellings, including 4x 2 bed, 6x 3 bed, 1x 4 bed and 3x 5 bed dwellings, with parking, garaging, landscaping and access road including off site highway works to East Street at Land To The Rear of 90 East Street, Olney.

16/00349/FUL

Erection of 96 residential dwellings with access from Tickford Street, associated car parking and landscaping, erection of a 78 space car park to serve the adjacent Aston Martin building and change of use of three existing frontage buildings from Sui Generis to use class B1 and/or D1 use and all other ancillary and enabling works at Former Aston Martin Lagonda Site, Tickford Street, Newport Pagnell.

16/00451/FUL

New Academic Centre (gross internal floor space 2075sqm), including lecture theatre, teaching rooms, study space, staff offices and social learning facilities, with associated landscaping, cycle parking and waste store at Site To North of Fleming Drive, Milton Keynes University Hospital, Standing Way.

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Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 30 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 that on the 17th February 2016, Milton Keynes Council set the Council Tax for the financial year 2016-2017, which commences on 1st April 2016. The amounts payable in respect of chargeable dwellings in each valuation band and in each parish are as follows:

AREAS	BAND A	BAND B	BAND C	BAND D	BAND E	BAND F	BAND G	BAND H
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Abbey Hill (PC)	961.69	1121.95	1282.24	1442.52	1763.09	2083.63	2404.21	2885.04
Astwood & Hardmead (PC)	979.65	1142.90	1306.19	1469.46	1796.02	2122.54	2449.11	2938.92
Bletchley & Fenny Stratford (TC)	1039.41	1212.62	1385.87	1559.10	1905.58	2252.02	2598.51	3118.20
Bow Brickhill (PC)	994.84	1160.62	1326.44	1492.24	1823.86	2155.45	2487.08	2984.48
Bradwell (PC)	989.58	1154.48	1319.42	1484.35	1814.22	2144.05	2473.93	2968.70
Broughton & Milton Keynes (PC)	969.14	1130.64	1292.17	1453.69	1776.74	2099.76	2422.83	2907.38
Calverton (PM)	955.15	1114.32	1273.52	1432.71	1751.10	2069.46	2387.86	2865.42
Campbell Park (PC)	1043.32	1217.18	1391.08	1564.96	1912.74	2260.49	2608.28	3129.92
Castlethorpe (PC)	995.98	1161.96	1327.96	1493.96	1825.96	2157.93	2489.94	2987.92
Central Milton Keynes (PC)	980.51	1143.91	1307.33	1470.75	1797.59	2124.41	2451.26	2941.50
Chicheley (PM)	963.66	1124.25	1284.87	1445.48	1766.71	2087.91	2409.14	2890.96
Clifton Reynes & Newton Blossomville (PC)	979.33	1142.53	1305.76	1468.98	1795.43	2121.85	2448.31	2937.96
Cold Brayford (PM)	968.01	1129.32	1290.67	1452.00	1774.68	2097.32	2420.01	2904.00
Emberton (PC)	994.17	1159.84	1325.55	1491.24	1822.64	2154.00	2485.41	2982.48
Fairfields (PM)	955.15	1114.32	1273.52	1432.71	1751.10	2069.46	2387.86	2865.42
Gayhurst (PM)	971.39	1133.27	1295.17	1457.07	1780.87	2104.65	2428.46	2914.14
Great Linford (PC)	993.08	1158.57	1324.09	1489.60	1820.63	2151.63	2482.68	2979.20
Hanslope (PC)	998.30	1164.66	1331.05	1497.43	1830.20	2162.94	2495.73	2994.86
Haversham & Little Linford (PC)	987.32	1151.86	1316.42	1480.97	1810.08	2139.17	2468.29	2961.94
Kents Hill, Monkston & Brinklow (PC)	984.36	1148.39	1312.46	1476.52	1804.65	2132.74	2460.88	2953.04
Lathbury (PM)	972.66	1134.74	1296.86	1458.97	1783.20	2107.39	2431.63	2917.94
Lavendon (PC)	988.12	1152.79	1317.48	1482.17	1811.55	2140.90	2470.29	2964.34
Little Brickhill (PC)	993.15	1158.65	1324.19	1489.71	1820.77	2151.79	2482.86	2979.42
Loughton & Great Holm (PC)	976.54	1139.27	1302.04	1464.79	1790.31	2115.80	2441.33	2929.58
Moulsoe (PC)	968.12	1129.46	1290.82	1452.17	1774.88	2097.57	2420.29	2904.34
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Simpson & Ashland (PC)	988.41	1153.12	1317.87	1482.60	1812.08	2141.52	2471.01	2965.20
Stantonbury (PC)	996.82	1162.93	1329.08	1495.21	1827.49	2159.74	2492.03	2990.4

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Sleek Magellan first makes her way to the stylish Danish capital Copenhagen with the chance to visit magical Tivoli Gardens. Calls in Warnemünde and majestic Tallinn, overlooked by Toompea Castle, are followed by the two-day visit to gilded 'St Pete's', where highlights might include the extraordinary Hermitage and the glorious Summer Palace at Peterhof. Turning for home, Magellan calls into elegant Helsinki and Swedish port Nynäshamn, from where you might visit delightful Swedish capital Stockholm.

### Our price includes

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Following calls in colourful Amsterdam and British outpost Gibraltar, beneath its mighty Rock, it's 'sunshine all the way' as Magellan heads first to volcanic Lanzarote, then on to Tenerife and Gran Canaria, contrasting Canary islands bathed in warmth and light, and offering some wonderful opportunities to step ashore and explore on some fascinating excursions. Glorious Madeira is next, with the chance to discover its flower-strewn capital Funchal, with its world-renowned Botanical Gardens and its sub-tropical surroundings, before your ship turns for home once more and the cruise is completed with a call in Lisbon, the historic Portuguese 'Gateway to the New World'.

### Our price includes

- Dutch capital Amsterdam
- Pay a visit to 'more-British-than-Britain' Gibraltar, beneath the famous Rock
- Arrecife is Lanzarote's colourful capital
- The Canary Isle of Tenerife boasts the 'whole world in one day'
- Christopher Columbus was a regular visitor to Las Palmas
- Spend an unforgettable day in the floral paradise of Funchal, Madeira
- Call at historic Lisbon
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After a call in colourful Amsterdam, Magellan sails towards the idyllic fjord- and glacier-dotted coast of Western Norway, with calls in Olden, the remote and dramatic Lofoten islands and Arctic port-resort Alta bringing opportunities for some exploration and discovery ashore, before the journey north to Honningsvåg brings increasing chances of seeing the Aurora in the heavens. Returning south, you'll call at Arctic city Tromsø and Viking capital Trondheim, and cruise the spectacularly scenic Romsdalfjord to Andalsnes, before the voyage is completed with a day in historic Bergen, the charming 'Gateway to the Fjords'.

### Our price includes

- Cruise the length of Hardangerfjord
- Calls in the breathtaking Lofoten Isles and Alta
- Honningsvåg is close to Europe's northern most point
- Tromsø, home to Norway's 'Arctic Cathedral' and Polar museum
- Discover Viking capital Trondheim
- Clear nights bring chances to view the Aurora Borealis
- Call in Åndalsnes on Romsdalfjord
- Bergen, 'Gateway to the Fjords'
- Discover a new skill from an on-board expert
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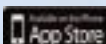
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## Fiat 124 Spider Makes European Debut

The new FIAT 124 Spider is unveiled for the first time to European audiences at the 2016 Geneva Motor Show, reviving a storied nameplate and bringing classic Italian styling and an authentic roadster driving experience to a whole new generation of enthusiasts.

Designed in the FIAT Style Centre, the front-end of the 124 Spider encapsulates the essence of its classic predecessor in a modern and bold package - broad and muscular but not too aggressive. The profile view is pure classic roadster too, with a long wheelbase, a cockpit hunkered low near the driven rear axle and a long bonnet complete with twin power domes - another nod to the bigger-engined versions of the original 124 Spider.

The look of the rear is defined by bold "floating" tail lamps shaped to hark back to later versions of the original roadster, while other classic cues include the rear wings that cascade inwards across the boot lid and the FIAT badge mounted on top of rear spoiler rather than facing rearwards as on all other FIAT products.

To minimise weight, improve longevity and encourage spur-of-the-moment open air driving experiences, the multi-layer hood is a manual unit that can be operated in



seconds using minimal force and without the driver having to leave their seat.

Under the 124 Spider's distinctive bonnet lives FIAT's proven 1.4-litre, MultiAir, turbo-charged four-cylinder engine, which delivers 140hp and 240Nm of torque. Mated to a six-speed manual transmission, the FIAT 124 Spider is capable of accelerating to 62mph/100km/h in just 7.5 seconds and has a top speed of 134mph/215 km/h.

The 124 Spider's suspension uses a double-wishbone layout in front and a multilink in the rear, specifically tuned for greater stability while braking and turning, while the electric power steering system has been specifically tuned to give the Spider a responsive

Italian feel. Combined with the lightweight architecture and balanced weight distribution, the turbo-charged FIAT 124 Spider offers a dynamic and exciting driving experience without compromising comfort and refinement, thanks to the adoption of an acoustic front windscreen and additional insulation treatments.

Trim levels are still being finalised for the UK ahead of its launch in the third quarter of 2016, but standard equipment on all versions is expected to include four airbags, air conditioning, a leather steering wheel, cruise control, 16-inch alloy wheels, USB, AUX and Bluetooth connectivity and keyless start. A seven-inch touchscreen infotainment system,

satellite navigation, 17-inch alloy wheels, full LED adaptive front lights, leather upholstery, a BOSE sound system (including stereo headrest speakers), front fog lamps, climate control and different surface finishes are expected on other versions.

To mark the launch and celebrate 50 years of the unveiling of the original FIAT 124 Spider in Turin in 1966, a limited Anniversary Edition has been created. Enquiries are invited for this exclusive special edition, of which only 124 numbered examples will be available for the UK market.

Priced at £23,295 OTR, the Anniversary Edition's unique equipment specification includes full LED adaptive headlights; seven-inch touchscreen infotainment system with multimedia control knob; satellite navigation with 3D mapping; DAB radio; two USB ports; Wi-Fi and Bluetooth connectivity; nine-speaker BOSE audio system; automatic lights and wipers; 17-inch alloy wheels; a premium silver finish on the door mirrors, windscreen frame and roll bars; "Anniversary Edition" numbered plaque and the 124 Spider badge on the front grille.

Prices and specifications for the FIAT 124 Spider will be announced closer to the car's UK launch, with an entry level point below £20,000.

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## New Alfa Romeo Giulietta Unveiled

The new Alfa Romeo Giulietta has been unveiled simultaneously in five locations across Europe, with the main event taking place in the Alfa Romeo Museum, Arese. Further enhancing the range, following its extensive revision in 2014, the new Alfa Romeo Giulietta features revised front-end styling that includes a striking new honeycomb grille, piano black bumper inserts (with red highlights on sporty models) and revised headlamp and fog

lamp surrounds. The new look emphasises the Giulietta's close genetic links with the new Alfa Romeo Giulia sports saloon and is complemented by new badge designs (both the "Alfa Romeo" and "Giulietta" logos), new alloy wheel designs, revised tail pipes, new colours (Alfa White and Lipari Grey) and a new engine and transmission combination which should prove a popular addition to the range for UK customers



## VAUXHALL ASTRA WINS EUROPEAN CAR OF THE YEAR 2016

Vauxhall's all-new Brit-built Astra has been named European Car of the Year 2016 at the 86th Geneva Motor Show. The award was decided by 58 leading automotive journalists from around Europe. It was presented to Vauxhall/Opel CEO Dr Karl-Thomas Neumann by Car of the Year President Hakan Matson on the eve of the first press day of the Geneva International Motor Show. Astra received a total of 309 points versus 294 for the Volvo XC90 and 202 for the



Mazda MX-5. This year is the 52nd European Car of the Year awards and the Astra's win marks the fifth Car of the Year title for Opel/Vauxhall. The previous winners were the Astra Mk2, Omega A, Insignia and Ampera

## SEAT UNVEILS FIRST SUV – ATECA



SEAT held the world premiere of its eagerly-awaited first SUV, Ateca, at the Geneva Motor Show, yesterday. The new Ateca is a unique combination of distinctive design, dynamic driving fun, urban versatility and compelling utility. First-class connectivity,

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**FOCUS 1.8 ZTC 09**, 5dr in grey, 55k, s/hist, alloys, air con, cd

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£5995 £133

**FOCUS 1.6 TITANIUM 08**, 5dr in black, 58000 miles, s/hist, blue-tooth, alloys, air con

£4995 £106

**FOCUS 1.6 ZTC CLM 2010/60**, 5dr in black, 51000 miles, s/hist, air con, alloys

£5495 £120

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**FOCUS 1.8 ZTC 2008**, 5dr silver, 60k s/hist, air con, cd, alloys

£3995 £80

**FOCUS 1.8 ZTC 07/57**, 5dr grey, 37000 miles, s/hist, air con, cd, alloys

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### FIESTA 1.6 ZETEC - S

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### VAUXHALL ZAFIRA



1.8 CLUB, 2007, black, 7 seat, 60k miles, s/hist, a/c, cd player £80/m £3995

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Total Price - £5495.00 | Deposit - £495.00 | Total Borrowings - £5000.00 | \*Acceptance fee - £0.00 | \* Option to purchase fees - £1.00 | Total amount payable - £6902.56 | Initial Payment - £0.00 | 47 Monthly payments - £133.47 | Final Payment - £134.47 | Duration of Agreement - 49 | Representative APR - 12.9% | Interest Rate (Fixed) - 6.71%

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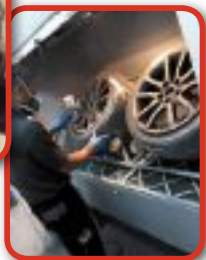
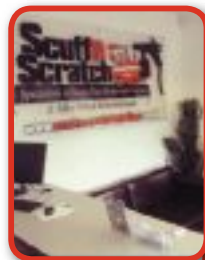
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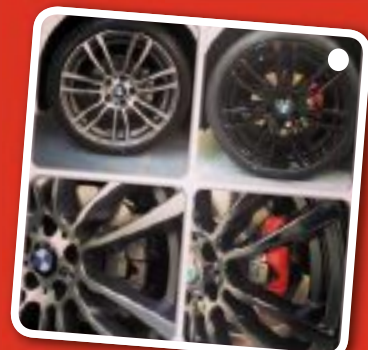
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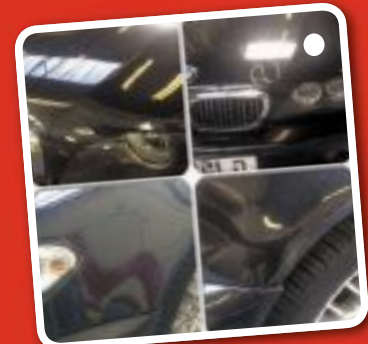
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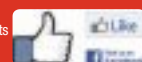


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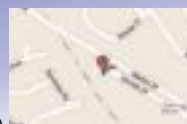
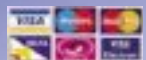
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# Thousands put on their running shoes

BY SCOTT KIRK

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MORE than 4,000 runners took part in the four races that made up the Milton Keynes Festival of Running on Sunday.

The annual event featured 5k, 10k and 20-mile runs, as well as a half marathon.

First off was the 20-mile event with a field of more than 800 starters. Paul Navesey from Crawley led from the gun to win in a course record of 1:52.13. Star of the day for Marshall Milton Keynes Athletics Club (MMKAC) was Rachel Robinson, who won the ladies race with a personal best of 2:13.35. Redway Runner Ben Fairhall came home seventh, while Daniel Webber and Tom Comerford from MMKAC finished eighth and 10th.

The half marathon attracted nearly 1,600 competitors and there were two MMKAC runners in the top 10. Jamie Seddon set a personal best in fifth, while four



Starting line: Participants in the Milton Keynes Festival of Running in CMK

places back came Steve Herring with 77.35, which won him the Eastern Veterans title, an event incorporated within the main race.

There were almost 1,200 finishers in the 10km race. Best results came from the ladies with Lara

Bromilow clocking 38.42 in third and Elle Roche, on her way back after injury, placing fourth with 40.44. Finally more than 500 people finished the 5km race.

Another local winner here was Mark Ryall, who clocked 16.57 and won by more than 90 seconds.



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It is part of the McDonald's FA Charter Standard Kit Scheme, which is now in its second year.

The scheme will distribute more than 250,000 kits nationwide – more than 150,000 of which are in England – and the initiative aims to help raise the standards of grassroots football for young aspiring footballers across the country.

Alan Sanders, manager of the Newport Pagnell Youth FC U11 Knights team, said: "We're hugely grateful to McDonald's for donating a new kit to our team."

"A high quality team strip can cost around £30-£40 per player per season."

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# Seventh heaven can't stop Lightning slipping to fifth

BY SCOTT KIRK

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**NETMINDER** Jordan Marr bagged a shutout when MK Lightning despatched Bracknell Bees back to Berkshire after a convincing 7-0 win at the MK Arena on Saturday.

Bees had been unable to make the trip to Hull Pirates the previous evening and they probably wished they hadn't bothered with the much shorter journey to Milton Keynes the next day.

Bracknell's problems this season have been well documented with numerous player departures, including that of former MK favourite Milan Kostourek. But Lightning were in an unsympathetic mood.

Despite the victory Lightning – who had no game on Sunday – have slipped to fifth spot in the English Premier League behind Telford Tigers, who recorded a pair of wins at the weekend. Telford are level on points with MK but have won the games series between them.

Sixth placed Swindon Wildcats' hopes of catching Pete Russell's team rest largely on the outcome of the clash between the two sides at the Link Centre tonight. Equally a win is vital for Lightning if they are to put clear daylight between them and Wildcats going into the final straight of the league campaign.

On Saturday Lightning took until two minutes from the end of a tepid first period to open their account through Blaz Emersic.

By the end of the second session Bees



Seven-up: Lightning comfortably beat Bracknell Bees on Saturday

Picture by Tony Sargent

were well and truly buried with five more goals fired past former MK stopper Alex Mettam thanks to Bobby Chamberlain, Lewis Hook, two from captain Adam Carr and Leigh Jamieson.

Lightning could afford to ease off in the final period but they did add a seventh goal after 49 minutes when Markku Tahtinen set up Chamberlain to score.

Christie was penalised for tripping shortly after, giving Bees a chance of a consolation powerplay goal but they were unable to take it.

And the last few minutes were not without incident as Chamberlain and Grant McPherson for Lightning and Smith and James Galazzi for Bees all engaged in a little of the rough stuff before a clash between Frankie Bakrlik and Scott Spearing on the buzzer.

Despite all that it was not enough to alter the result in Lightning's only game of the weekend.

The home fans were sent away happy at the scale of the victory.

Tonight Lightning take on Swindon Wildcats away from home and on Saturday they entertain Hull Pirates before Telford Tigers will be given a visit from the men from Milton Keynes on Sunday.

## BADMINTON



Looking ahead: Chris and Gabby Adcock

## All eyes on Birmingham after players are beaten in Germany

THE Yonex All-England Championships began in Birmingham yesterday as the city's badminton players look forward to one of the biggest events in the sport's calendar year.

Chris and Gabby Adcock played in their first tournament of the year together since their superb Superseries Finals' win in the German Open last week but they were beaten in a second-round thriller against in-form Thai pair Puavaranukroh Dechapol and Sapsiree Taerattanachai.

The Asian duo had already proved themselves on tour this year with two events under their belts.

As qualifiers, they reached the final of the Syed Modi International and last eight of the Thailand Masters.

And they came through a

tough 55-minute examination against the English number one's 12-21, 21-15, 26-24 after the second-seeded Adcocks held a 15-11 lead in the decider.

None of the English players reached the quarter-final but that may not necessarily be a bad thing as that will have given the players a couple of extra days to prepare for the championships in Birmingham.

Chris admitted that they lacked match sharpness after a long training block back at Milton Keynes.

Gabby told the Badminton England website after the defeat: "It was a tough loss but we felt it was a pretty good match but we let them in too easy in the second."

"But we're glad we could get a decent match in before next week."

Toby Pentty reached the second round of the men's singles draw where he met China's fifth seed Tian Houwei before putting up a spirited fight in losing out 21-18, 21-14.

National champions Marcus Ellis and Chris Langridge's opening match in the men's doubles was always going to be an evenly-matched contest.

And so it proved as they were just edged out 21-16, 19-21, 21-17 by Indian rivals Manu Attri and B Sumeeth Reddy.

Peter Briggs and Tom Wolfenden were also beaten by Chinese opponents in the first round.

Heather Olver and Lauren Smith exited at the second round stage of the women's doubles as Japan's second seeds Misaki Matsutomo and Ayaka Takahashi won through 21-12, 21-15.

## HOCKEY

MILTON Keynes Ladies' South Clubs' Women's Hockey League Division 3A tie at Teddington Seconds saw them lose 3-0, which means they're fifth in the table. The men beat Oxford University 4-2 in the South Hockey League Premier Division One.

## TABLE TENNIS

IT'S all change at the top of the Milton Keynes Table Tennis League as MK Spinners thrashed MK Phoenix 10-0 for the third time this season. They are only ahead by virtue of fewer matches lost as they share the same number of points with rivals Greenleys Monarchs, who they face next week. Monarchs had a good result themselves with a 9-1 win over the unpredictable MK Walking Wounded. Just as the top two are locked on equal points, the same goes for third and fourth places after MK Sasaki's 6-4 victory over their close rivals MK Kingpins. Greenleys Kings held MK Powers to a 5-5 draw.





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# Hard-fought point keeps Dons going



Draw: It was all level after MK Dons travelled to Charlton Athletic. The result means they are a point above the relegation zone. Pics Andy Handley

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**MK DONS** and Charlton Athletic played out a hard-fought, entertaining 0-0 draw at The Valley last night.

However, Rotherham United's late winner against Middlesbrough means that Dons are just one point above the Championship drop zone.

Dons were in control of the tie in the first half as Nicky Maynard, Josh

Murphy and Dean Bowditch all had decent efforts, while Darren Potter was magnificent in the middle of the park as he controlled the game.

The second half was an extremely end-to-end affair. Samir Carruthers lifted a shot over the bar late on to win it for Dons, who survived a

late onslaught from Charlton, while Rob Hall had a shot well saved by Nick Pope before that.

The result followed a 2-0 victory over QPR on Saturday courtesy of a Dean Lewington thunderbolt and a Ben Reeves penalty. Dons travel to title-chasing Hull City on Saturday.



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G5F515CA	Bread making - World Breads <i>Learn how to make a variety of different breads. Includes cost of ingredients</i>	Stantonbury	14/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	46*	38*
G5F516CA	An Introduction to American Cookery <i>Experience cooking an American feast such as chowders, jambalaya and a classic key lime pie. Fee includes cost of ingredients</i>	Stantonbury	11/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	50*	42*
N5D517XA	Preparing for Work in Schools <i>Ideal for those wishing to support learning in schools</i>	Rivers Centre	28/4/2016	Th	12:30	14:30	5 wks	0	0
<b>Creative and Performing Arts</b>									
J5D503XA	Dance - Tap - Advanced <i>For learners moving on from Tap Intermediate</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	20:45	21:45	13 wks	74	60
J5D504XA	Dance - Tap - Improvers <i>For learners moving on from Tap Beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	19:30	20:30	13 wks	74	60
J5C500XA	Dance - Ballet - Improvers <i>For learners moving on from Ballet - Beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	20:45	21:45	13 wks	74	60
J5C501XA	Dance - Tap - Intermediate <i>For learners moving on from Tap Improvers</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	19:30	20:30	13 wks	74	60
J5C502XA	Dance - Tap - Beginners Plus <i>For learners moving on from Tap Beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	18:15	19:15	13 wks	74	60
J5D316XA	Anatomy for Portraits <i>Improve your portrait drawing through observation of the skeletal and muscular structure of the human skull.</i>	Rivers Centre	21/7/2016	Th	10:00	16:00	1 day	42*	34*
J5F505XA	Life Drawing - mixed ability <i>For learners of all abilities who want to focus on drawing and painting from the figure. Fee includes model costs.</i>	Rivers Centre	23/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	52*	44*
J5F506XA	Life Drawing - mixed ability <i>For learners of all abilities who want to focus on drawing and painting from the figure. Fee includes model costs.</i>	Rivers Centre	21/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	52*	44*
J5F507XA	Life Drawing - mixed ability <i>For learners of all abilities who want to focus on drawing and painting from the figure. Fee includes model costs.</i>	Rivers Centre	18/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	52*	44*
J5M508XA	Life Drawing - Summer School <i>For learners of all abilities who want to focus on drawing and painting from the figure. Fee includes model costs.</i>	Rivers Centre	22/7/2016	Fr,Sat	10:00	16:00	2 days	104	84
J5A509CA	Dance - Ballroom & Latin American - Improvers <i>Move on from Beginners to learn new dances and improve your technique</i>	Stantonbury	11/4/2016	Mo	20:15	21:15	10 wks	57	46
J5A510CA	Dance - Ballroom & Latin American - Absolute Beginners <i>Tango, waltz or cha-cha-cha - the choice is yours</i>	Stantonbury	11/4/2016	Mo	19:00	20:00	10 wks	57	46
J5C511XP	Landscape Techniques in Watercolour - Improvers/Intermediate <i>Step-by-step guidance to produce finished landscape paintings for those with some previous experience</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	FULL FEE
J5D512XA	Stained Glass - Intermediate/Advanced <i>For learners with some experience who want to refine their skills and develop their creativity</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
J5F513XA	Stained Glass - an Introduction - Leaded Panels <i>Cut and join glass safely to create a small traditional panel</i>	Rivers Centre	4/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5F514XA	Kiln Glass - Beginners <i>First steps in fusing clear and coloured glass to make small decorative items. Fee includes materials.</i>	Rivers Centre	7/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	48*	40*
J5D515LA	Watercolour Painting for All <i>A flexible, mixed ability approach with structured support for new learners</i>	Stony Stratford Library	14/4/2016	Th	19:30	21:30	10 wks	113	90
J5E516XA	Painting - Acrylics for All <i>A flexible, mixed ability approach to working with acrylics with structured support for new learners</i>	Rivers Centre	15/4/2016	Fr	10:30	12:30	10 wks	113	90
J5C517XA	Upholstery - Beginners and Improvers <i>Professional techniques to recover a small antique or modern piece</i>	Rivers Centre	27/4/2016	We	19:00	21:30	8 wks	113	90
J5B518XA	Art Skills - Drawing and Painting <i>New themes and approaches for learners in their first year of painting or those returning to it after a break</i>	Rivers Centre	12/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
J5C519XA	Watercolour Painting - Improvers <i>New themes and approaches for learners in their second year of painting</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	90
J5D520ZA	Watercolours & Other Media - Intermediate <i>New themes and approaches for learners moving on from Improvers</i>	MK Gallery	14/4/2016	Th	10:15	12:15	10 wks	113	90
J5F521XA	Drawing with Pen and Ink Improvers <i>Develop your skills in this creative and expressive medium</i>	Rivers Centre	14/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5M522XA	Drawing Summer School - Mixed Media <i>Begin by drawing in pencil then experiment with other media such as ink and wax to produce a finished piece in a medium of your choice</i>	Rivers Centre	7/7/2016	Th, Fr	10:00	16:00	2 days	84	68
J5F523XA	Drawing and Collage - Mixed Media <i>Explore and experiment using found objects, assorted collected papers and mark-making to create inspiring 2D and 3D work</i>	Rivers Centre	11/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5C529XA	Watercolour - Beginners <i>For learners with some drawing experience: develop basic skills in this delightful medium</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	12:30	14:30	10 wks	113	90
J5F524XA	Contemporary Still Life Painting <i>Explore the process of contemporary still-life painting and build up a range of techniques and skills</i>	Rivers Centre	21/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5M525XA	Experiments in Paint and Print-Summer School <i>Expand and develop your artistic and creative skills working with a variety of techniques and media.</i>	Rivers Centre	11/7/2016	Mo,Tu	10:00	16:00	2 days	84	68
J5A526XA	Painting in Oils <i>A flexible mixed-level approach to using this medium</i>	Rivers Centre	11/4/2016	Mo	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	90
J5D527XA	Art Skills - Drawing and Painting <i>New media and confidence building for learners with a little experience</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	90
J5F528XA	Creative Computing - Photoshop Elements <i>Adding Photoshop techniques to existing artwork and photographs</i>	Rivers Centre	25/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5M544XA	Creative Computing - Photoshop Elements Summer School <i>Learn how to organise, edit, share and print your photographs in this intensive course</i>	Rivers Centre	18/7/2016	Mo, Tu, We	10:00	15:00	3 days	126	101
J5D549XA	Drawing and Painting - Mix It Up <i>A flexible, mixed ability approach exploring a variety of different drawing and painting media</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
J5F530XA	Inspired by Islamic Art <i>For learners at any level, explore the beautiful patterns and imagery of this fascinating tradition. Fees include materials</i>	Rivers Centre	23/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	48*	39*
J5F531XA	Inspired by Celtic Art <i>For learners at any level, explore the beautiful patterns and imagery of this fascinating tradition. Fees include materials</i>	Rivers Centre	18/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	48*	39*
J5F532XA	Inspired by Maori Art <i>For learners at any level, explore the beautiful patterns and imagery of this fascinating tradition. Fees include materials</i>	Rivers Centre	16/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	48	39
J5D533XA	Creative Digital Photography - Portfolio Building <i>For learners moving on from Beginners or for those with some knowledge who want to further develop their skills</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Th	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
J5C535XA	Creative Digital Photography - Beginners <i>How to get the most out of your digital camera and photograph places, faces and things</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
J5F534XA	Sculpture from Found Objects <i>Playful and inventive approaches to 3D construction</i>	Rivers Centre	7/5/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5A546XA	Acoustic Guitar Beginners <i>Learn some basic chords and strum patterns on this introductory course</i>	Rivers Centre	25/4/2016	Mo	19:00	21:00	8 wks	90	71
J5B536XA	Acoustic Guitar Improvers <i>Develop and consolidate your skills and learn some more complex tunes; for learners with a little experience</i>	Rivers Centre	26/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	8 wks	90	71
J5C537XA	Machine Embroidery for All <i>A flexible, mixed ability approach for beginners and the more experienced to create small designs using free motion machine stitchery</i>	Rivers Centre	27/4/2016	We	10:00	12:00	5 wks	57	46

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J5A538XA	Machine Sewing - Beginners & Improvers <i>Choose to make clothes from commercial patterns or small made-to-measure home furnishings</i>	Rivers Centre	18/4/2016	Mo	12:30	14:30	10 wks	113	90
J5B539XA	Machine Sewing - Beginners & Improvers <i>Choose to make clothes from commercial patterns or small made-to-measure home furnishings</i>	Rivers Centre	12/4/2016	Tu	12:30	14:30	10 wks	113	90
J5C540XA	Machine Sewing - Beginners & Improvers <i>Choose to make clothes from commercial patterns or small made-to-measure home furnishings</i>	Rivers Centre	13/4/2016	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
J5D541XA	Machine Sewing - Absolute Beginners <i>Simple practical or seasonal projects for those new to using a machine</i>	Rivers Centre	21/4/2016	Th	10:00	12:00	6 wks	68	55
J5D542XA	Machine Sewing - Absolute Beginners <i>Simple practical or seasonal projects for those new to using a machine</i>	Rivers Centre	9/6/2016	Th	10:00	12:00	5 wks	57	46
J5M543XA	Machine Sewing - Soft Furnishings - Summer School <i>Practical home sewing projects for beginners and those with a little experience</i>	Rivers Centre	12/7/2016	Tu, We, Th	9:30	14:30	3 days	85	68
J5F545XA	Creative Writing - Short Stories: An Introduction <i>Insights into plot construction and characterisation</i>	Rivers Centre	23/4/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
J5M547XA	Puppet Making Summer School <i>Insights into plot construction and characterisation</i>	Rivers Centre	4/7/2016	Mo, Tu, We	10:00	15:00	3 days	90*	72*
J5A548XA	Portrait Drawing and Painting <i>Work from direct observation to improve your technique and personal style; fee includes model costs</i>	Rivers Centre	11/4/2016	Mo	12:30	14:30	10 wks	143*	120*
<b>Foreign Languages, Lip Reading and BSL</b>									
M5D522XA	French - First Steps <i>A five week course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	21/4/2016	Th	19:00	20:30	5 wks	42	34
M5B500WA	French - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	MK Academy	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	20:30	10 wks	85	68
M5C508XA	French - Improvers <i>For learners who have completed two terms of the Improvers course (or recently taken 40-60 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	13:30	15:00	10 wks	85	68
M5C509XA	French - Intermediate <i>For learners who have completed the second term of Intermediate (or taken 120 hours of tuition in the recent past)</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	90
M5B505XA	French - Advanced <i>For those who have reached A-level standard and want to develop all four skills and their grammatical knowledge</i>	Rivers Centre	19/4/2016	Tu	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	90
M5B514WA	German - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	MK Academy	17/5/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	8 wks	90	72
M5D513XA	German - Intermediate <i>For learners who have completed the second term of Intermediate (or taken 120 hours of tuition in the recent past)</i>	Rivers Centre	28/4/2016	Th	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5C515XA	German - Advanced <i>For those who have reached A-level standard and want to develop all four skills and their grammatical knowledge</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5B520WA	Spanish - First Steps <i>A five week course for absolute beginners</i>	MK Academy	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	20:30	5 wks	42	34
M5B506XA	Spanish - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	19/4/2016	Tu	13:00	14:30	10 wks	85	68
M5A519XA	Spanish - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	18/4/2016	Mo	19:00	20:30	10 wks	85	68
M5B501WA	Spanish - Intermediate <i>For learners who have completed the second term of Intermediate (or taken 120 hours of tuition in the recent past)</i>	MK Academy	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5C510XA	Italian - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	19:00	20:30	10 wks	85	68
M5A503XA	Italian - Intermediate <i>For learners who have completed the second term of Intermediate (or taken 120 hours of tuition in the recent past)</i>	Rivers Centre	18/4/2016	Mo	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5B507XA	Italian - Advanced <i>For those who have reached A-level standard and want to develop all four skills and their grammatical knowledge</i>	Rivers Centre	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5C511XA	Japanese - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	19:00	20:30	10 wks	85	68
M5B508XA	Japanese - Advanced <i>For those who have reached A-level standard and want to develop all four skills and their grammatical knowledge</i>	Rivers Centre	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5D516XA	Arabic - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	21/4/2016	Th	19:00	20:30	10 wks	85	68
M5B502WA	Russian - Advanced <i>For those who have reached A-level standard and want to develop all four skills and their grammatical knowledge</i>	MK Academy	19/4/2016	Tu	19:00	21:00	10 wks	113	90
M5C512XA	Chinese (Mandarin) - First Steps <i>A five week course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	20/4/2016	We	19:00	20:30	5 wks	42	34
M5A504XA	Greek - Moving on to Improvers <i>For learners who have recently completed the Next Steps course or equivalent (30 hours of tuition)</i>	Rivers Centre	18/4/2016	Mo	19:00	20:30	10 wks	85	68
M5F517XA	All Day Spanish - Absolute Beginners <i>A day course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	2/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
M5F518XA	All Day Italian - Absolute Beginners <i>A day course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	25/6/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
M5F521XA	All Day French - Absolute Beginners <i>A day course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	2/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
M5F522XA	All Day German - Absolute Beginners <i>A day course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	2/7/2016	Sat	10:00	16:00	1 day	42	34
M5E313XA	Lip-reading (Mixed Level) <i>For beginners and those who have some knowledge. Further concessions available if referred by GP or Audiology</i>	Rivers Centre	22/4/2016	Fr	10:00	12:00	10 wks	113	90
M5A520XA	British Sign Language - First Steps <i>A five week course for absolute beginners</i>	Rivers Centre	6/6/2016	Mo	19:00	20:30	10 wks	42	34
<b>English, Maths and ESOL (for speakers of other languages)</b>									
P5C513XL	Get Ready for GCSE English <i>Find out what's involved in doing a GCSE and get a head start for September.</i>	Rivers Centre	8/6/2016	We	18:45	21:15	4 wks	0	0
P5D514XL	Get Ready for GCSE English <i>Find out what's involved in doing a GCSE and get a head start for September.</i>	Rivers Centre	16/6/2016	Th	18:45	21:15	4 wks	0	0
P5A583XN	Get Ready for GCSE Maths <i>Find out what's involved in doing a GCSE and get a head start for September.</i>	Rivers Centre	6/6/2016	Mo	18:30	21:00	6 wks	0	0
P5F584XN	Get Ready for GCSE Maths <i>Find out what's involved in doing a GCSE and get a head start for September.</i>	Rivers Centre	11/6/2016	Sat	9:30	12:00	6 wks	0	0
S5F036ZA	Help your child with GCSE Maths <i>For parents/carers of students in school years 10 and 11. Help your child with homework and exam revision.</i>	CMK Centre	14/4/2016	Th	18:30	20:30	6 wks	0	0
P5A531XE	ESOL Entry 1/2 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Entry 1 (A1) or Entry 2 (A2).</i>	Rivers Centre	11/04/2016	Mo	09:30	12:30	12 wks	155	0
P5C534ME	ESOL Entry 1/2 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Entry 1 (A1) or Entry 2 (A2).</i>	CMK Centre	13/4/2016	We	18:30	21:30	12 wks	155	0
P5F537ME	ESOL Entry 1/2 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Entry 1 (A1) or Entry 2 (A2).</i>	CMK Centre	16/4/2016	Sat	9:30	12:30	12 wks	155	0
P5C533ME	ESOL Entry 3 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Entry 1 (A1) or Entry 2 (A2).</i>	CMK Centre	13/4/2016	We	9:30	12:30	12 wks	155	0
P5D535ME	ESOL Level 1/2 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Level 1 (B2) or Level 2 (C1).</i>	CMK Centre	14/4/2016	Thu	9:30	12:30	12 wks	155	0
P5D536XE	ESOL Level 1/2 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Level 1 (B2) or Level 2 (C1).</i>	Rivers Centre	14/4/2016	Thu	18:30	21:30	12 wks	155	0
P5F538ME	ESOL Entry 3, Level 1/2 <i>This course prepares learners for an ESOL exam at Level 1 (B2) or Level 2 (C1).</i>	CMK Centre	16/4/2016	Sat	9:30	12:30	12 wks	155	0

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